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GENERAL TELEGRAMS.

Six Days' Conflict with the Flames.

Rain Extinguishes the Pennsylvania Forest Fires.

The Additional Article to the Washington Treaty Agreed Upon.

Plea for a New Custom-House Being Urged at Washington.

Visit of Red Cloud and Other Indians to the Capital.

PENNSYLVANIA FIRES.

Rain at Last--Torpheaus Saved from Destruction--Six More Victims Fire.

Special Dispatch to the New-York Times.

SCRANTON, Penn., May 18.--For the first time in three weeks, we have rain, and the surrounding country is saved from further devastation. The forces in charge of Rose, H. McClure and Sandy Stillwell have succeeded, thus far, in saving Torpheaus, having successfully fought the fire for six days. Torpheaus is now out of danger.

E. R. W.

ALABAMA CLAIMS.

Agreement of the Senate Foreign Relations Committee to the Supplementary Article of the Treaty.

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WASHINGTON, May 18.--The Foreign Relations Committee held A five hours' sessions today, and finally agreed to report the supplementary article of the Treaty of Washington with two amendments. The character of these amendments has not transpired, but it is understood they were made with a view of procuring a stronger support for the article in the Senate. Certain portions of the phraseology are stricken out, and an amendment inserted to make it more acceptable. The vote in favor of reporting it as amended was five to two, the two opposed being understood to be Messrs. SCHURZ and CASSERLY. Soon after 3 o'clock, the Senate went into Executive Session, and received the report of the Committee. Considerable discussion followed, which did not result in any conclusion. Much time was devoted to the question of what should be done to discover and punish violations of the Senate's confidence. Some leading Senators express the belief that the negotiation of the supplemental article as amended will be advised.

WASHINGTON AFFAIRS.

Project for a New Custom-House in New-York. Arrangement for the Payment of War Claims.

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"As to the location of these structures upon the Battery, the undersigned desire to express their decided conviction that it is in all respects most suitable, and as the natural and only reasonable location for such structures. Whether the peculiar shape of Manhattan Island is considered accentuating forever a main artery of travel lengthwise through it, and thus making one end of the island more accessible to the public than either side of it, or whether we regard the actual centre of business, the great centres of trade and of commerce, and the fit location, or if we seek a geographical centre of the community engaged in such trade, or if we heed the decision of the people, that the heart of commerce is and must remain down town, as expressed in the recent final location of the Stock Exchange, the Cotton Exchange, the Gold and Produce Exchange, and the costly offices of the largest corporations and banking-houses, or if the Government has committed no error in locating the Post-office, and the granite dock and barge office at the lower end of Broadway--the conclusion appears to be irresistible that the Battery is the only available place for the permanent location of the Government buildings."

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The House was entirely devoted today to business from the Committee on Claims, and a great many bills were passed. The most important was the bill confirming the award of the Southern Claims Commission in 22 cases, and appropriating $247,000 to pay the claims which had been allowed. The Committee on Claims had examined all these cases, and its labors have been very great. The only other claim of importance which passed was that of Mrs. LINCOLN, of Kentucky, on which so much time was spent in the House in the Forty-first Congress, and which involves the principle of paying for property destroyed by one of war within the enemy's lines.

Despatches to the Associated Press

CURRENCY STATEMENT.

Fractional currency received from the Printing Division for the week ending today, $240,000; shipments, $488,880; notes shipped, $683,000. The Treasurer holds as security for national bank circulation, $97,556,700, and for public deposits, $15,525,000; internal revenue receipts today, $608,326; receipts for the month, $7,313,315; fiscal year to date, $113,383,456; national bank currency outstanding, $294,324,942.

PERSONAL.

The President and Mrs. GRANT left Washington in the noon train, today, for Elkton, Md., on a brief visit to Postmaster Gen. CRESWELL and family. They will return on Monday.

HAVE GAZETTE.

Capt. EDWARD T. NICHOLS has been detached from duty as chief of staff of the Asiatic station and ordered home. Commander THORNTON has been detached from the command of the *Juniata*, and ordered to the command of the *Worcester*, and Capt. R. T. RENSHAW has been detached from the command of the *Worcester* and ordered to the command of the *Omandaigua*.

ARMY INTELLIGENCE.

A Board, to consist of Surgeons Josiah Simpson, T. A. McParlin and Assistant Surgeon J. A. Fitzgerald, has been ordered to assemble at West Point on the 27th inst., to examine into the physical qualifications of the members of the graduating class of the Military Academy, and the candidates for admission into the Academy. Col. Henry J. Hunt, of the Fifth Artillery; Lieut.-Col. Charles R. Woods, of the Fifth Infantry; Major Richard C. Drum, of the Third Infantry; and Major Andrew J. Alexander, of the Eighth Cavalry, have been relieved from their duties as members of the Board to revise the Army Regulations, at present sitting in New-York, and will return to their proper stations. The construction of First-Lieut. John D. Morrison, of the Tenth Cavalry, has been accepted by the President, to take effect on the 15th inst.

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from a decision of the Commissioner of Internal Revenue. The argument was made before Messrs. SOUTHWELL RICHARDSON and DOUGLAS. The decision of the Department thereon will be rendered some days. The question is whether the latter should be assessed upon brokers for the money as capital which they borrow in their own names as agents for their customers on stocks as collateral, the principal not being known to the lender of the money. The ruling of the Internal Revenue Commissioner, Mr. DELANO was that money thus borrowed formed part of the capital of the broker, and as such was liable to tax.

THE BULL INVESTIGATION.

Mr. BEN PUTNAM, who managed the prosecutions of the Ewell Commission, appeared before the House Military Committee today, and testified to the leading features of the investigations; also, that he possessed the entire notes of the testimony. Mr. PUTNAM is to appear before the Committee again on Monday, when it is expected he will be directed to prepare another copy of the proceedings in the case, the original of which has so mysteriously disappeared.

INDIANS AT THE CAPITAL.

RED CLOUD, accompanied by several other Chiefs of the Sioux tribe, will soon make a visit to Washington for the purpose of seeing the President, permission having been given him for that purpose. Several other prominent Indians have also expressed permission to visit Washington.

REVENUE APPOINTMENT.

ALEXANDER OUTERBRIDGE has been appointed by the President to be Assistant Assessor of Internal Revenue for the Ninth New-York District.

TREASURY BALANCES.

The balances in the Treasury at the close of business today were: Currency, $2,319,943; Coin, $100,616,940, including $25,578,600 in coin certificates.

CONGRESSIONAL PROCEEDINGS.

SENATE.....WASHINGTON, D. C., May 18, 1872.

Mr. SHERMAN reported from the Committee on Finance a bill to authorize the Secretary of the Treasury to issue bonds in lieu of bonds destroyed or defaced, and stated that it was carefully drawn to defeat the ingot against fraud.

The bill was passed.

Mr. CONKLING reported a bill to enable the Secretary of the Treasury to acquire from the Mayor and Common Council of New-York, land at the Battery as a site for a Custom-House and other public buildings. Referred to the Committee on Commerce.

Mr. DRAKE, by unanimous consent, offered the following resolution, which was agreed to:

Resolved, That the Secretary of the Treasury be directed to furnish the Senate with a statement of the amount of money on deposit to the credit of the Treasury on the first day of the present and on the first day of each of the next preceding nine months, together with a statement of the place where and the time when each deposit was made, the amount at each place and with each person at each of the respective dates.

At the expiration of the morning hour the Army Appropriation bill was taken up and discussed informally.

On motion of Mr. SHERMAN it was laid aside for the purpose of asking on the reasonable proposition of the House to return the Senate resolution providing for the adjournment of the 24th inst., in exchange for the House resolution on the same subject.

Several members called for the regular order of business.

Mr. THURMAN stated that the other resolution had been compared with as a matter of course, because the bill which was asked to be returned was still within the time when it was competent for the Senate to reconsider the vote passing it, in the Chair could not rule it out of order. He thought the House resolution was a question of privilege, because it was not within that rule. It would be the Speaker's duty, and it was for a majority of the House, when the question arose, to pass upon it.

Mr. GARFIELD moved that it be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Mr. BROOKS called for the regular order of business.

Mr. GARFIELD made a point of order that the Senate message should be submitted to the House.

The Speaker said it had been submitted to the House.

Mr. GARFIELD made a point of order that the courtesy which should exist between the two Houses, to proceed to the consideration of the message.

Objection was made.

The regular order of business was again called for, and the resolution having gone to the Speaker's table the business of the Committee on Claims was resumed.

After further discussion the resolution was adopted.

The following amendments were agreed to:

Appropriating $700,000 to enlarge the military depot at Rock Island, Illinois; $200,000 for the purchase of arms of torpedoes for harbor and land defenses, $100,000; for experiments with and tests of heavy ordnance, $183,000.

[Appropriation passed as amendment this on money appropriated by this act shall be paid to any railroad in arrears to the Government, for payment of interest on its bonds.]

Mr. STEWART moved to lay the amendment on the table, which was agreed to.

The bill was passed, and the Senate then at 4 o'clock went into Executive Session, and soon afterward adjourned.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

On motion of Mr. AVERILL, the Senate bill to establish the collection District of Duluth, and to create St. Paul, Minn., a port of delivery was passed.

The House then proceeded to act upon private bills reported from the Committee on Claims, the day being specially assigned to that business.

The most important bill reported by the Committee on Claims was passed by a two-thirds vote, authorizing and directing the payment of the claims allowed by the Southern Claims Commission. The bill contains appropriations for 269 persons, ranging from $13 up to $20,000. Most of the awards are for small sums. The largest amount of these is $20,000. The $65,000 appropriation is for WADDY THOMPSON. Mr. BLAIR, of Michigan, Chairman of the Committee, explained that the awards were made for stores and supplies taken by the army, and no allowance was made for the loss or destruction or consumption of property, or for incidental or consequential damages.

Mr. BLAND made a report from the Conference Committee on the Consular and Diplomatic Appropriation bill. The only important point at difference between the two Houses was as to the Central American Republics. It was explained by the arrangement that there shall be but one Minister to the Central American Republics after the 30th June, 1873. The report was agreed to.

Mr. GARFIELD, by unanimous consent, introduced a bill asking for the return of a bill, and said it would be considered appropriately.

Mr. GARFIELD said it was a matter of course for the Speaker to sign the bill.

The Speaker replied in the affirmative, and said that the question would come up immediately, and he thereupon presented a like message from the House to return the Senate resolution providing for the final adjournment on the 24th of May.

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After explanation by Mr. SARGENT, Mr. BECK said that a large proportion of the amounts appropriated by the bill were for subsistence and feeding the Indians, which the volunteers of Senators who had within their own grasp the entire control of Indian affairs. He gave notice that next session, when the Post-office Appropriation bill should come up, he would treat as a party measure he would throw to the House and to the country the frauds that were being perpetrated through Indian treaties, and the millions on millions that were being squandered and stolen by the thieves who were managing these things. The Conference report was agreed to.

A conference committee was ordered on the Steamboat bill, and Messrs. HINDMAN, CONGER and HARLAN were appointed.

The House then at 4:40 P. M. adjourned.

THE PRESIDENCY.

Senator Morton and the Burnside Letters.

OMAHA, Neb., May 11.

To the Editor of the Chicago Tribune:

SIR: A brief editorial in the *Tribune* of yesterday, based upon your special correspondence from Washington, charges Senator MORTON with trying, by a "very scaly trick," to secure the re-election of President GRANT by the Philadelphia Convention, and the substitution of himself in his place as the Republican candidate.

Both the telegram and your editorial do great injustice to Senator MORTON, and also to Gov. BURNSIDE, of Dakota. The "grand plot" has just this much foundation: Major J. E. BURNHAM, of this city, now absent at Fort Fetterman, wrote four private letters, some weeks since, to citizens of this State, upon this subject. These letters were written without the knowledge of Senator MORTON or Gov. BURNSIDE. As soon as informed of the action of Major BURNHAM, as he was by a gentleman to whom one of the letters was sent, Senator MORTON telegraphed Major BURNHAM that he "must not push it." Gov. BURNSIDE, on learning of the action, also wrote, asking him to recall what he had done, and stated, furthermore, that he was for the renomination of President GRANT or Philadelphia as his first, last and only choice, and predicted that the General would unanimously be renominated, but triumphantly elected.

Neither Senator MORTON nor Gov. BURNSIDE had any previous intimation of the intended action of Major BURNHAM, and both telegraphed their strongest disapproval of what he had done as soon as it came to their knowledge.

C. M. TERRELL,
Acting Chief Paymaster, Department of the Platte.

ROWING.

Progress of the Atalanta Boat-Crew in Rowing.

The Leander Rowing Club Party--Inauguration of the Swiss Rowing Season--An Excellent Race Had.

How the Royal Oarsmen are Getting On--New Races and New Men.

From Our Own Correspondent.

PUTNEY, Eng., Monday, May 6, 1872.

I have just five minutes to write you a line. This afternoon the London Rowing Club received a new boat, built by CLASPER, with pleasing results. They lunched and tried her, but seemed to be very uncomfortable in her.

A Mr. TURNER, who, I understand, rowed in the Oxford boat against Harvard, is a great deal with the London Rowing Club; may be they intend to try him on that new thwart.

The eight-oared race between WINSHIP and BIGNAL was rowed this morning, but as WINSHIP fouled BIGNAL, the referee ordered the race to be rowed over to-morrow. The Atalanta crew is well and in good spirits; they row very steady, and are evidently learning the course, although the great rise and fall of the tide, which is sixteen and seventeen feet here, makes it very puzzling, as, at low water, the channels require good steering by an experienced oarsman.

E. S.

The Oneida Boat Club--Opening of the Season--A Fine Race Yesterday.

The formal inauguration of the rowing season was celebrated by the Oneida Boat Club, of Jersey City, yesterday afternoon, in a manner which reflects much credit to the Club, and upon the gentleman composing the several committees to whom the management was intrusted.

About 4 o'clock the several streets leading to the boat-houses presented an unusual appearance; in fact, it looked as if all the pretty young ladies were on their way to some convention, accorded (according to the Woodhull-Claflin doctrine) by the lesser sex, in full evening dress. Arriving at the boat-house the numerous guests were heartily greeted, and the several gentlemen of the reception and other committees took their company in charge and made them feel at home.

The boat-house was very neatly decorated, flags and pennants floating on the outside, and the interior was arranged in good taste and thoroughly in keeping with the occasion. In the centre of the reception-room stood a full-rigged ship made of natural flowers, which elicited exclamations of delight from every person upon entering, and deservedly so, as it was truly a master hand that formed it.

An excellent brass band was stationed on the platform before the house, and between the inspiring strains which floated over the waters, and the bright sparkling eyes of the ladies, the little blue jackets rose and fell pretty fast over the region of the hearts of the Oneidas. At 5 o'clock, the arrangements for the race being completed, the two crews manned their gigs, and without much delay came to the judges' boat for the word. The referee asked the usual question, "Are you ready?" Both crews reached out, taking a firm hold of the water with their oars. Receiving no reply, and both boats lying even without any advantage on either side, they received the word "go," which they were not slow to obey. The course rowed over is in Communipaw Cove, twice around three stakes, making two miles, and is hardly a fair test, as the outside boat in such a contumious circle is obliged to row a considerable longer distance. The two boats came to the judges' boat nearly abreast for the turn, Mr. CURRIE, the coxswain of the *Ice Bird*, making a most skillful turn, for which he was loudly applauded, and by which he gained a length and a half lead, which they kept to the end, winning the race in 14 minutes, the blues coming in 10 seconds behind. The rowing and time were very fair considering the state of the water, which was rather jumpy, and a stiff breeze blowing from the north-east.

THE CREWS.

	Colors White.		*Colors Blue.*
GEO. BULDOR,		GEORGE CRESCH,	
W. C. Pearson,	stroke.	W. F. Walsh,	captain.
J. P. Hardenbergh,		stroke.	
captain.	D. Henry,		
J. Schanck,	3.	H. T. Sparks,	3.
C. Ockenhaunt,	2.	H. T. Sweetnam,	2.
E. Jordan,	1.	D. S. Gregory,	1.
P. Oekerhausen,	bow.	C. H. Alford,	bow.
F. H. Curcis,	coxswain.	W. Learned,	coxswain.

Mr. J. E. HULSEMANN, of the Hudson Club, acted as judge for the gig Hudson, while Mr. E. C. MEILSON performed the like good office for the *Seneca*. Mr. FRED. J. ANGELMANN, of the *Turf, Field & Farm*, officiating as referee.

During the race the ladies thronged upon the floats and waved their handkerchiefs, and the hopes and fears of the respective partisans of the white and the blue could be easily observed by the heightened color of the transparent cheeks as the favorite boat seemed to gain on its opponent; but this time the pure white triumphed over the true blue.

After the crew had resumed their landsmen's garb, and the referee gave the decision, the banquet-room was thrown open, and the chaste parlor of the luxuries so profusely provided by their entertainers.

The wants of the inner ladies and gentlemen being satisfied, the latter, warned by the tempting strains which were heard from the other house, which, in the interim, had been divested of its superfluous furniture, encircled a little waist each, and floated into the intoxicating allurements of terpsichore.

The attendance was very numerous and select, and it really appeared as if all the gentlemen had made great efforts to secure the company of some very beautiful lady, as all the representatives of the fair sex seemed to possess far more than average attractions for so large a gathering. Every one seemed to feel thoroughly happy and at home.

Aquatic Notes.

To-morrow, Monday, the pair-oared race comes off on the Schuylkill River, at Philadelphia.

Yesterday afternoon a number of the members of the Atalanta Boat Club left by the steamship City of Montreal, of the Inman line, to witness the race between their stanch little crew and the Londoners. Among those embarked we find the genial Vice-President of the Club, Mr. William Webster, John O'Neil, George Springstein, William Rogers, John Rogers, Washington Haddock, and others.

The crew made their trip across the ocean in the same vessel, and as the officers, who are a very sociable and warm-hearted set of gentlemen, forged quite an intimacy with them, they are predisposed to make their friends as happy as circumstances will allow.

The members of the Atalanta remaining on this side accompanied the steamer down the Bay in a steam-boat, with the usual allowance of champagne and cheers.

From California we learn that the boating fever is also prevailing in an unusual degree this season. Two new clubs have been formed this Spring, the Pacific Club, of San Francisco, and the Farragut Club, of Vallejo. In addition to the foregoing there are five previously established clubs in that State, viz: "California," of San Francisco; the "Golden State," of Oakland; the "Undine," of Sacramento, and the "Stockton," of Stockton. It is proposed to form a State association, and a regatta is to be held on the 4th of July.

Recreation Day.

The following programme was arranged by the Memorial Committee of the Grand Army of the Republic, at their meeting last evening:

The several Posts of the Grand Army will meet at Union-square on the morning of May 30, and, in conjunction with the exhibition at the Union House and School, will march down Broadway to Fulton Ferry, and, taking cars from Brooklyn to East New-York, will be joined there by the Posts from the Eastern District, and march to the cemetery at Cypress Hills.

After the decoration services are completed they will return to New-York, to participate in the ceremonies at the Academy of Music, which will include oratorial from Rev. Dr. DIX, Trinity and Rector, as well as music and recitations. The monuments at Lafayette and Washington, in Union-square, and KEARNY'S grave, in Trinity Church, will be decorated during the march of the procession. Col. JOSEPH C. PINCKNEY has been elected Grand Marshal and Capt. MICHAEL CREAGH Marshal of the Day, and Chief of Staff to Commander.

THE WORKING MEN.

Progress of the Strikes in This City and Elsewhere.

The Carpenters in Session--Meeting of the Bosses--The Actuation Exciting--A General Strike Imminent.

The trades-union societies seem determined to put forth all their strength for the purpose of success in their eight-hour movements. Although many of the journeymen have agreed to submit to the terms of the masters, others hold out, and the result in a great degree of the whole body of carpenters will, it is said, take place. The masons, plasterers, cabinet-makers, bricklayers and other trades are also threatening to follow the example of the carpenters, who went to work on Monday morning to await the final action of the "bosses" on Monday night. If the latter refuse to comply with the terms of the men a general strike will at once take place, which will have a paralyzing effect on the building trade of the City.

Yesterday morning the carpenters met at Masonic Hall, and the proposition of the "bosses" to give the men nine hours at present wages on Monday next, and eight hours after the 1st of October, was unanimously denounced, and rejected.

The speakers declared that no compromise of any kind would be accepted, but if any was entertained it would be on the question of where shorter hours of labor. At present, however, no terms would be listened to other than $3 50 a day, and eight hours as a legal day's work.

The Chairman announced the withdrawal from the meeting on the fact that twenty of the master carpenters voted in their favor on Friday night, and that many of those who acted with the majority were cash and blind makers. He claimed that the meeting at Cooper Institute the present night represented a majority of the journeymen of the entire trade in the City. Unless the master carpenters reversed their action at Monday morning, every carpenter would be said, cease work from Harlem Bridge to the Battery. There was so much work to be done that a strike of so universal would force the bosses to accede to their demands.

Mr. MOORE, the President of the Association, expressed his regret at the inconvenience the movement would occasion to those employers who had given eight hours, but said that the action was necessary to success, and must be cheerfully submitted to.

A resolution was then offered to the effect that the bosses' Association of Master Carpenters be requested to call a meeting of the journeymen carpenters for Monday night, at 8 o'clock, at Cooper Institute, to receive from the Committee of Conference the final decision of the bosses in regard to the eight-hour movement.

Mr. MOORE said he did not recognize the resolution as coming from the proper source, but would accept it.

The resolution was carried amid considerable cheering.

A committee was then appointed to wait upon the bosses in session at Cooper Union.

In the interval, delegates were heard from the cabinet-makers, plumbers and bricklayers, English and German-speaking, all of whom avowed their entire sympathy with the carpenters, and their resolve to strike on Monday if not before the objectors came to join their ranks new.

Mr. W. BROWNING, of the brick-layers, said: "I see he is the man who opposes the brick-layers now. Their mass-meeting determined these eight hours, and in all my days I never saw a more determined set of men. The brick-layers are coming in ten hours on Monday, blackguard them, cheers,] throw dust at them." [Cheers and laughter.]

JOHNNY BROWNE, of the brick-layers, also addressed the meeting.

Mr. RYAN, of the brick-layers, declared he wouldn't even throw dust at a man who wanted ten hours, for such a man could be no better than a ——. [Cheers and laughter.]

About 11 o'clock the deputation that waited on the bosses returned, and Mr. MOLAN, on behalf of the Committee, reported that they had given the bosses the journeymen's ultimatum, eight hours, and $3 as a day--and the bosses seemed crestfallen. [Cheers and laughter.] Mr. MOORE and Mr. DENNAN came out as a deputation of bosses, and said they had adjourned their meeting until Monday night; that in the meantime they would take the matter into consideration in the City together with the views of the journeymen's ultimatum, and that they anticipated the answer would be favorable to the men. [Cheers and waving of hats.] The speaker then addressed the men, telling them to return to their shops as usual on Monday morning.

Mr. DENNAN declared that the men had completely unnerved the bosses. [Loud hurrahs.]

The meeting then adjourned, cheering enthusiastically.

THE BRICK-LAYERS.

At a meeting of the Brick-layers' Union, held last evening at Mechanic's Hall, corner of Twenty-sixth-street and Seventh-avenue, the previous resolution to stand by the determination of the Society for eight hours, or the establishment of the Eight-Hour law, was unanimously adopted. A number of shops are in favor of the eight-hour system.

The Richmond House-Painters to Strike To-Morrow.

RICHMOND, Va., May 18.--The journeymen house-painters will strike on Monday; the bosses have refused to accede to their demands for higher wages. Other trades are organizing for a similar purpose.

The Troubles at the Mines.

HOUGHTON, Mich., May 18.--The troops who arrived here on the 15th inst. left for the Calumet Mines last night to make some arrests.

The rioters are now quiet, and have made no demonstration whatever, except releasing the prisoners who were arrested by the Sheriff on the 15th. Then the rioters, about 400 in number, surrounded the guard, who had nineteen men in custody, and released them, and placed

FOREIGN NEWS.

Particulars Concerning the Loss of the Tripoli.

Fortunate Escape of the Passengers and Crew.

Attempt to Censure the Government in the Spanish Cortes.

Mysterious Disappearance of the Leader of the Late Insurrection.

Scenes in and Around Naples After the Eruption of Vesuvius.

GREAT BRITAIN.

Latest News Concerning the Wreck of the Cunard Steamer Tripoli.

LONDON, May 18.--A dispatch from Wexford, Ireland, giving some particulars of the disaster to the Cunard steam-ship *Tripoli*, from Liverpool, for Boston, says the accident occurred at 4 o'clock yesterday morning, when most of the passengers were asleep in their berths. Carnsore Point, of which the steam-ship went ashore, is the most southeasterly extremity of the Irish mainland. Several sailing vessels which were in the vicinity took off the passengers and landed them at Wexford. The baggage of the passengers was subsequently secured by steam vessels and carried to Queenstown.

SPAIN.

Opposition of the Carlists to the Constitution--Disappearance of Don Carlos.

MADRID, May 18.--The Cortes yesterday, after an animated discussion, rejected a resolution introduced by Deputy ANGULLOS censuring the Government for declaring Navarre, Seville, Biscay and Catalonia in a state of siege during the recent movements of the Carlists in those provinces.

The whereabouts of Don CARLOS remains a mystery, but that he has escaped from Spain is certain.

VESUVIUS.

Latest Accounts of the Eruption--The Mountain After Action.

Naples (April 30) Correspondence of the London Daily Telegraph.

When I closed my last letter, Vesuvius seemed to have finished the dangerous part of its work; but we have since learned that he was not done with the disagreeables. He has been slower than we fondly expected in "clearing right in recovering his equanimity, and there is suspicion, which we cannot yet verify, that his organic structure has undergone some damage, at least toward the summit of the cone. The veil of smoke which he drew over himself after the paroxysm in which he kept seven craters going simultaneously was never lifted for a moment during Saturday and Sunday, and from this point of view, it seemed to the Neapolitans that Vesuvius had dissolved into a pile of inky black clouds, which towered up across the horizon. From his observatory, near the cottage of the cone, the brave PALMIERI saw much more. He could now detect among the smoke, as it ascended from the central crater, a few forerunners of the grand discharge of cinders with which Vesuvius generally completes his volcanic orgies. Ere Sunday morning he had assured himself that the *finale* was near at hand, and this reassuring news he brought down with him when he came to say his usual visit to my family. On Monday I obtained that my friends in the street corners were in another paroxysm of speculation and argument. They replied to my inquiries about the cause that the eruption was to conclude in the afternoon with an earthquake. The prophet had considerately fixed the exact hour for the shock. Others, who had from the first predicted the event, did not know themselves, but thousands seemed to be keeping a sharp look-out whether it was to come, true or not. The streets had not been so crowded or so excited since the opening ceremonies, as they were on the afternoon of the expected earthquake. When that hour of doom had passed without any change in the appearance or the operations of the mountain, credulity still reigned. I heard this morning that all the squares and open spaces within the city had been occupied during the whole night by persons passing or holding a dismal vigil. They feared to remain in doors, which seemed to give the earthquake a chance to catch them napping. The doleful prediction found a hearing among patrician families, who forsook their palaces in consequence, and spent the night *al fresco* in their carriages. Prudence like theirs should have received some exceptional reward, but the only reward that it seems to have is that it did not incur the showers of cinders it was throwing out, nor did it indemnify, for their edification, the jets of lurid flame which occasionally shot up from the crater. Its decadence went on steadily, and PROF. PALMIERI'S instruments measured every day a diminished energy in the shocks. On Monday night the pumice-stones, which previously had been ejected hundreds of metres into the air, scarcely rose a single kilometre above the lip of the crater. They had contracted to the same extent their range of destruction. Only Resina and Torre del Greco, directly under the cone, have been within the radius of the fiery shower. Naples had no longer a direct participation in the scene, save through a dozing slightly shaken by the continued rumbling under-ground. This, though growing quieter, never intermitted.

What I describe as days we have been slowly learning the details of Friday's casualties, and of the generous exertions put forth on all hands for their alleviation. The first effect of the news that a new crater had burst and engulfed many people was the immediate destruction of a thousand carts of corn which were on their way to joining the mountain. They had grown hardened to the fear of flowing lava, but the earthquake accompaniment was a new kind of risk which they were not disposed to incur. Resina, Portici, Torre del Greco, Torre Annunziata, and even Naples, on the further flank of Vesuvius, found themselves in panic-stricken flight before they had resolved whither they should rest. Most of the fugitives were so convinced that it was a question of life and death, that they encumbered themselves with no impedimenta. The cooler and more provident part exhibited a great variety of consolatory reflections. One singled out a matron as her most valuable article of furniture; another set the greatest proprietary value on his table; a third had exercised an economic taste by settling on his pig as the best representative of his fortune. Each "poor devil" had been left by themselves, in fact, to do what he would or would have done without choking up the roads and creating a general "block." San Carlo Notizia, the kind-hearted apostle of Naples, foresaw their difficulties. With the sanction of the municipality he hoisted up all the vehicles of which the owners were willing to forward the city, and dispatched them to meet the fugitives.

As nearly as I can ascertain, there are about 400 refugees still on the hands of the city authorities. They are all most comfortably housed in darkened convents, and their immediate wants have been amply supplied. The question of more permanent relief is now occupying the attention of the Deputies at Rome. It is suspected that many sufferers through the eruption have avoided reporting themselves as yet. They may be in hiding in the neighborhood of their ruined homes, waiting the return of tranquillity to save something from the wreck of their property. Others have been taken care of by relatives or private friends, or may be enjoying the hospitality of villages whose existence has left them in their power. No authentic information has yet been published as to the loss of

CURRENT LITERATURE.

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I am very fond of the cloud,
And the ecstatic sea,
And the breeze at dawn and at noon,
And the eternal stars,
And the rainbow over the waterfall,
And the wind in the trees,
And the sun on the hills,
And the moon on the sea,
And the lightning in the storm,
And the thunder,
And the snow,
And the frost,
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And the mist,
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And the hurricane,
And the tempest,
And the whirlwind,
And the tornado,
And the waterspout,
And the earthquake,
And the volcano,
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THE FOLLOWERS OF FOX.

The Annual Anniversary Celebration of the Historic Society—Meeting Held at Fraternity Hall—Addresses by Prominent Members.

On this 19th of the month—the last Sunday—of most pathering rites prior to the Establishment Meeting-week—one writes "Society" every year, but we suppose that manner to call it in its peculiar characteristics. From all parts of New-England, New-Jersey, New-York, Pennsylvania, and Canada, come companies of the Hicksites or Unitarian Quakers. Old sights from frequently on the streets, where their procession is a sort of pleasing relief from the ordinary stream of fashion and show in the quiet simplicity and modesty of their dress, and the peculiar placidity of their cheerful faces. No sect of people is married in its nonconformity to this idea with such kindly appreciation from those who in their daily life and sentiments are entirely apart and isolated from them. Yet, happily, the number of the latter sorry is decreasing, and those of liberality of thoughts and purity of heart duties whatever name or creed profess, and to be ashamed to acknowledge the very factor of evil in modern humanity, like to mind this "old order," earnest, old type of the Quaker, with fathom they cannot but feel a sincere sympathy. The mutual cousinage of persecution and martyrdom. Young men and maidens, has often, it is to be remarked, appeared to us crowds of people belonging to other churches, quiet seers and observers of humanity. It is always an insincere gathering, and there are always present kind disinterested president of the Society, who from the circles of their ministry may have been turned unto the Metropolis, or perhaps, hitherto obscure, have risen upon the scene assuming various positions or eloquence, rushing torrents of powerful words, and immediately are called, and are known to be, great orators. Afterward they are believed to with tenderness whichever they may hold forth. The acknowledgment of their glory and worth is quiet and frank, in keeping with the simple character of their faith and practice.

The meeting-house in Rutherford-place, opposite Stuyvesant Park, is surrounded by trees, whose shade at this time is thank and heavy, and among whose branches the sparrows chirp with hundreds of voices, caroling their snatches of clear melody. On Sunday, the 27th, the first meeting of the Convention occurs—the grand public assemblage for worship, when the crowd is greatest and most impressive. The silence of so immense a gathering in the midst of the sweet calm of the May day, that is disturbed only by the faint sounds of stirring branches or restless birds, is something grander than the strongest strains of choral music. The still repose seems like cooling waters, to bathe the spirit and to lift it up, while in the mental ear voices unheard before seem discoursing with gentler concern than those of humanity. To the coldest stranger it is not difficult to feel a subtle sympathy with all who are there present—and there seems a flood of thoughts or of sense, ebbing and flowing in waves faint or strong, throughout the house, stirring the breast as by an unseen influence.

For an hour falling through the stated pause, but the simple peace of waiting and the calm and eloquence of silence.

Persons of quaint and quiet turns of mind find here, no matter how often the place is their occasion, softness of thought in the sympathetic companionship of many voices with perfect personal freedom, yet surrounded by a solemn breathing, penetrating, and mayhap praying. It is so near the primeval worship in the groves as can be in artificial society. When best in reverence, one might almost fancy the old stone about the moss-grown under his feet, the soft, damp moss under his hands, the breeze that touches the brow, coming through the wide-opened window to be laden with the sweets of flowers that bloomed in meadow nooks, by curating rills, and not in hot-house beds and narrow brick-bonnes back yards.

Whatever may be the views of plain people, the fact is, in sooth, nothing more, and they need not necessarily break on from his internal communion to listen. It is not supposed to be exactly voluntary, but arouses an impressive promptings of the mind.

The breaking up of the great meeting is seldom abrupt. Even pencil to hands the stated period, and then follows a season of cheerful greetings, warm congratulations, friendly pressures of the hand, and affectionate personal inquiries, and among the young folks, who always attend in throngs, of bashful recognitions and demure glances. The strangers feels gratefully at home and cannot fail of mingling into with any one of the white-haired patriarchs.

All through the last week of May the meetings are devoted to business, being always open, however, for seasons of delightful silence, prayer or preaching.

The "Hicksite." Friends are stronger in number in the United States than the so-called "Orthodox," and believe as implicitly in the doctrines of GEORGE FOX, and seem more to resemble his early followers. Since the upstart of his career, about 200 years ago, there have been no lessening of the light by which this sect of the Quakers have shone in the world—"a city set on a hill." Most singular is its fact, considering their utter lack of ostentation or pretension.

Elias Hicks, the Long Island farmer, Revolutionary built up the society in Hicksville, and extended to Holland; so that at one time it did fair to become another sweeping work of reformation, like that of Luther. But the mind grew and transcendental, in fact, the mild character of the sect's faith and customs happily kept it back. Many of the younger party, and, indeed, it is less numerous than ever since the death of FOX. It has become reserved, however, very recently by the Free Thought progression is coming in vogue even among the Quakers. A few years ago the introduction of Sabbath-school teaching at their children's meetings caused a split, and in consequence the up-country is at the conservative and old-time party. Sympathetic assistance like this has also occurred among the dissenting Friends, and the spirit of liberalism still continues to grow. For these reasons, new interest attends the annual convention of the Society, and the public, and strangers in attendance, and explanations are of more importance than ever before. In regard to the Indian policy of the Government, would now originated and made practical by the Friends, the yearly meeting always takes some action, and precisely the recent massacre of the Nez Perces by General HOWARD will call for our consideration, to be discussed in the sincere kindness proof of the failure of the peaceful schemes of civilization.

The rainy proclivities of this season are so proverbial that few will believe that the modest Quakers do not more nature to frown wherever they can. But from especial observation, the weather may be assured that the rain is not absolutely founded upon fact. It is sometimes supposed that there is no rain in the last week of the month, and it often happens that the unpleasant weather comes but in these peasmodes as it were are characteristic of the 11 months of the Sickle swing, April and May. Moreover, though we may pray for shiny days, and of course, hope and pray for sunny ones during the stay of our gentle visitors, yet we may well be content with the dispensation of Providence, since they are proverbially provident in the matter of umbrellas and great-coats.

The "yearly meeting" of the Orthodox Friends is about a few days later than that of the Hicksites, beginning on the 30th of May in the Twenty-third-street Meeting-House.

A Soldier's Estimate of the President.

The following is a portion of the address of Gen. DERBY the late of the "Fighting Fifth," as the warrior of the Army of the Potomac, in Cleveland:

I have spoken of the President as the representative of the nation, but I am sure I will not pardon me if I should fail to speak of him personally. There was necessarily be difficult days of political change in the history of politics, but whatever they may be, we agree that the grand foundation of our political system was laid amid the sublime scene of our armies, and of rejoicing valleys of our land. We would that the President were here to-day to receive the warmest forget-me-not in the Presidency of the United States, and honor and welcome him with the love and affection of comrades in soldiers whom he led to final victory and triumph. I read the other day an analysis of the character of Gen. GRANT. The writer said: "I love you and all of your old comrades, and I shall be to your impartial historian, but somehow, when reading descriptions of men of rough hands, we find something that spoils the rest of the picture. Today, while sauntering along the streets of Cleveland, I chanced to enter a bookstore. For a moment I was bewildered by the harmonious blend of the odors of cologne and stone-ware. Gen. GRANT would look down on a cuspidor as he would upon a how the horse wore. I happened to see a quotation from MILTON, where he speaks of CROMWELL, the strongest voice Republican had, which seems to me to be peculiarly applicable to him who commanded all our armies, and to whom I am proud to speak tenderly of now:

> "He nothing common did or mean,
> Upon that memorable scene,
> But with his keen, all-piercing sight
> Seemed rather to consult than fight."

Whitsuntide.

> "Whitsuntide will, without disappear,
> With all the wildness of flowers and fruit,
> To carry on the festival of the year,
> Which bursts that heat may run."

Morris-dancing was, too, a great amusement, and the consumption of Whitsun cakes and ale was something incredible. But Whitsuntide in England is now only remarkable for its general observance as a secular holiday by the lower classes. They go to Greenwich Fair and other such places of resort, where there is much vulgarity, disorder and drunkenness. Of "Whitsun-ales" and other low games in Regent Park and Primrose Hill, and other low games. In Naples the Festa di Monte Vergine is observed for three days. It consists in a festal procession to a church on a mountain near Avellino. On the return, the most curious, in every conceivable kind of vehicle, drawn by horses, donkeys or bullocks, the occupants decorate them with flowers, boughs of trees, flags and pictures, while they dance to the air with mad fervor as they pass slowly along. In St. Petersburg, up to a few years ago what was known as the Woman Show was always held in the Summer Garden on Whitsunday. All the marriageable girls and young women paraded themselves on this day for the inspection of the men, and even the most modest used all their arts and wiles to attract attention. Any man could address a girl to whom he was utterly unknown, inquire of her chaperone the amount of dowry, and what she was. If the girl was pleased with his manners and appearance, he would go out to give a statement of his own resources, and ability to provide for a wife. He would also give all information as to his family connections and prospects. If everything was satisfactory on either side they would be betrothed, and marriage would follow. The baneful idea of such an unseemly compact is most revolting. The only wonder is that the custom did not die out long ago, instead of only a few years since.

Reformed Presbyterian Synod.

The proceedings of the Reformed Presbyterian Synod were resumed yesterday at 10½ o'clock. A committee appointed to examine the Pittsburg Presbytery drew the attention of the Synod to a resolution which stated "that in case the Committee of Supplies fail to furnish First Church, Pittsburg, with preachers every Sabbath, the congregation have liberty to provide preaching from some other source." The committee considered the resolution contrary to Presbyterian order, with suggested that the Synod disapprove it. After some discussion the report was referred back to the committee for further action.

The Committee on Examination of Records of the Western Presbytery reported there were no records found, which was explained by a delegate as stating that the records were kept on slips of paper.

A resolution "that the Eastern and Western Presbyterian Synods be consolidated," brought on a warm discussion, and after considerable of the day on Monday afternoon.

The report of the following Committees were read and disposed of:

Report of the Treasurer of the Endowment Fund of the Theological Seminary of the Reformed Presbyterian Church of North America.

Report of the delegate to the General Assembly of the United Presbyterian Church.

Report of the trustees of the Theological Seminary showing the amount of endowment raised to be $26,500 by income for past year, $2,000 42; carryscrip, $1,000 20; balance, over 20.

The Synod then adjourned to 10½ Monday morning.

Chief Meteorological Reports.

The following observations show the temperature, &c., for the past twenty-four hours, as recorded by SCHMITZ & WARNER, at the Central Park Meteorological Observatory:

Temperature.	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.
Degrees of heat, as in shade	61	66	61
Degrees of heat, in sun	61	66	61
Barometer corrected	29.88	29.88	29.88
Humidity	61	61	61
Direction of wind	S. W.	S. W.	S. W.
Velocity of wind	10	10	10
Rain			

MILITARY GOSSIP.

The following letter had been received in answer to a paragraph which appeared in last Sunday's TIMES:

NEW-YORK, May 17, 1878.

DEAR SIR: I shall have my company (Gatling gun) out Sunday (Sunday) next for practice, if our guns arrive. I will also have my drum the Seventy-ninth Regiment, N. G., is in very good condition, receiving large accessions to its ranks. It is ready for the field of the Seventy-ninth will pass just as well as the same of the Seventy-ninth. We calculate to parade 200 men in Elks on July 4.

Respectfully yours, [illegible]

Adjutant Seventy-ninth Regiment N. G.

The members of the Twenty-second Regiment met last evening at the armory, for the purpose of taking into consideration the proposed excursion to Richmond, Va. Judging from the enthusiasm manifested, the excursion may be considered a fixed fact. A special meeting of the Board of officers will take place on Friday evening next, when the full reports of the Committee will be made, and arrangements then come into. As to the details, we will as another time, particulars. In connection with this, we find the following in a Philadelphia paper: "A letter just received yesterday by a gentleman in this city, from a friend in New-York, stating that one of the crack regiments of that great City—a party of 800 rifles—had, in the latter part of February, said—had accepted an invitation from the First Virginia Regiment to pay them a visit, and were making arrangements for a gala trip to Richmond. Inquiries were also made as to their reception in Petersburg. As we have still said company of soldiers here, we could not well arrange, perhaps, for the entertainment of an entire regiment, and it is more likely, we suppose, that Company A will participate in Richmond with the festivities and other exercises of the visit."

A meeting of the Board of Officers of the Seventh Regiment, N. G., was held on Wednesday evening last, when the returns from the several companies on the question of encampment were received. The result showed a large majority in favor, and the matter is now a fixed fact, that the Regiment will go into camp at Sea-gate from the 4th to the 9th of July. At that period of the season, a sort of holiday week of itself, but few members will be compelled to attend, therefore on account of business, and therefore on account of business, and therefore on account of business, and

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THE METHODIST CONFERENCE.

Appointments of Committees—The Number of Bishops to be Fixed at Eight—Memorial Services for the Dead.

The Conference was called to order yesterday by Bishop AMES, the devotional exercises being conducted by Dr. SHUMAKE. The Committee on Appeals reported that the only jurisdiction which the Quarterly Conference has over a preacher on trial is to try him when under accusation. The following special committees were announced:

To Nominate Trustees—J. M. Trimble, D. Stevenson, J. M. Phillips, L. J. Critchfield, J. F. Chollar.

Have Editorial Charge of Missionary Annual Sheet—W. A. Wardwell, W. J. Gron, Horace Barton.

Assistant's Clerks—R. S. Rambo, H. W. Warriner, C. F. Grumm, O. L. Brice, A. E. Rolland.

Overlook Jobbing—Messrs. Osborn, J. B. Cornell, S. Marshall, W. G. Smith, John A. Gouch.

The Committee on Episcopacy reported in reference to the election of colored Bishops, that neither race, color, nor former condition should operate as a bar to the election of colored brethren to the Episcopacy. The only qualification needful is general fitness.

The same Committee also reported in favor of the present Conference electing eight Bishops. At present there are really but two active Bishops, and it is out of the question to suppose them capable of superintending the whole Church. Dr. SLICER moved to amend by substituting six Bishops. He thought the election of eight unnecessary, as also would putting the Church in debt. A motion to lay the amendment on the table was lost by a vote of 132 to 172. An amendment of Mr. AMOS SHINKLE to make the number seven instead of six was tabled amid enthusiastic cheering all over the house. The point was discussed at considerable length. Dr. JACOBY, of Germany, favored the recommendation of the Committee for the latter number. A Bishop was greatly needed in Europe, not in Germany only, but in Sweden and Norway. He, however, had no reputation for the place himself. Dr. CURRY was in favor of six Bishops, and let the next General Conference appoint the other four. Bishop AMES made the statement that the Bishops themselves had discussed the subject thoroughly, and had come to the conclusion that eight Bishops were as few as the Church could maintain itself with. The report of the Committee fixing the number at eight was then adopted by an overwhelming majority.

On motion of Mr. EDDY, the Conference then proceeded to the special order of the day—the memorial services for the four Bishops who have died since the last General Conference. Bishop SIMPSON gave a general sketch of the lives and works of Bishops ORMOND C. BASCOM, DAVID W. CLARK, GEORGE F. COMLY, and CALVIN KINGSLEY. After some further notes of remarks by Drs. CURRY, THAYER, HITCHCOCK and HALL, the Conference adjourned.

The New-York Cotton Warehouses—Company's Stores.

The large new cotton warehouses at the southern end of the Atlantic Docks, Brooklyn, which have been built by the Cotton Warehouse Company, were thrown open for inspection yesterday afternoon, and a large number of members of the Cotton Exchange and others interested were present on invitation of the Company, having been conveyed thither by a ferry-boat engaged for the purpose. A collation was partaking of after a walk through the new storehouses, and speeches were made by Mr. JAMES G. STRANAHAN, President of the Atlantic Dock Company; Mr. M. O. D. HASKINS, President of the Cotton Exchange, Mr. DUNNELL and others. Mr. HARRISON responded to the toast "The New-York Cotton Exchange—may its influence be felt not only in our market, but in the markets of the world."

The warehouses are 700 feet by 200 in dimension, are substantially built of brick, are two and three stories in height respectively, have double iron fire-doors and have the capacity of storing 40,000 bales of cotton. The wharfage facilities seem to be excellent. General satisfaction was expressed at the arrangements of the warehouses by the cotton men present.

AUCTION SALES.

NICHOLAS B. CONKLIN, Auctioneer.

IMPORTANT SALE OF VALUABLE HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE.

HUGH N. CAMP will, by auction, on WEDNESDAY, May 22, at private residence No. 6 West 47th-st., at 10 o'clock A. M., by order of John W. Weed, Esq., administrator of the estate of John R. Gardner, deceased, all the household furniture of above house, consisting in part of handsome rosewood and gilt parlor suites, pier glasses, mantel mirrors, pedestals, sofas and bureaus, commodes, book-cases, tables, rep and lace curtains, lace and Axminster carpets, French china breakfast and dinner sets, crockery, glassware, &c.; also, kitchen utensils, in great variety. The above are strictly first-class goods, of the latest styles, and are worthy the attention of purchasers. Can be examined two days before sale. Catalogues at No. 16 Broadway.

JOSEPH HEDRMAN, Auctioneer.

BY JOSEPH HEGGMAN & CO.

THURSDAY, May 2, at 9 o'clock A. M., at the Central Sales-room, corner of Pearl and Willoughby sts.

ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE—STOCK OF A JEWELLER—Safe, regulator, twenty clocks, watches, rings, gold pencils, watch-maker's tools, watch-glasses in tubes, &c., &c.

ALSO, AT 4 O'CLOCK P. M.,

VALUABLE PRIVATE LIBRARY OF 300 VOLUMES—Stillman's Journal, 12 volumes; Irving's volumes; Eclectic, 9 volumes, Atlantic, 8 volumes; Geology, 12 volumes; Coast Survey, 7 volumes; Goldsboro, Adison, &c., &c., &c.

AUCTION SALE OF FIRST-CLASS HOUSEHOLD furniture, seven octave piano-forte, mantels, gas fixtures, &c., &c.

JOSEPH MCGUIRE, Auctioneer,

will sell on

TUESDAY, May 21, 1872, at 10 o'clock A. M., at the private residence,

No. 718 Lexington-av., between 57th and 58th sts.,

All the elegant furniture contained therein, consisting of rose-wood parlor suites, in brocatelle, black walnut and mahogany chamber suites, mirrors, stoves and other carpets, lounges, tables, chairs, &c., &c.

JOHNSTON & VAN TASSELL, Auctioneers.

JOHNSTON & VAN TASSELL WILL sell at auction on TUESDAY, May 21, at 11 o'clock, within their stables, No. 112 East 124th-st., by order of Charles E. Culver, assignee in bankruptcy, five head of grade Alderney cattle, formerly the property of William B. Borrows.

BUSINESS CHANCES.

BRICK-MAKING—LEASE FOR TERM of years of one of the best locations in Chicago; also, new and most approved steam-machinery and apparatus; carts, trucks, &c., and excellent; water-privilege; for sale on favorable terms. The great profits offered by this business for the next few years to come are well known, and afford a rare opportunity for young men of enterprise and some capital. Quality and quantity of recovered clay in immediate succession. Address BRICK-MAKER, Chicago, Ill.

A YOUNG MAN, EXPERIENCED IN TINE Acocia and machinery, and commanding a few thousand dollars, wishes to obtain an interest in some established manufacturing business, where he can devote his time and energies; to its advancement; unexceptionable reference required. Address W. A. S., Box No. 170, Tower Office.

BREWERY FOR SALE OR TO LEASE.—The old-established brewery and malt-house, corner of Jay and Front sts., Brooklyn, convenient to Bridge-st., Catharine and Fulton ferries. Apply to A. E. YOUNG, No. 115 Jay-st., Brooklyn.

BILLIARD TABLES.

WM. H. GRIFFITH,

NEW DESIGN

French Beveled Slitheard Table Manufacturer of DELANEY'S PATENT WIRE CUSHIONS. No. 9 Vesey-st., New-York. Tables, balls, cues, and every requisite at lowest prices. Old tables cut down. Orders by mail attended to.

WATCHES, JEWELRY, &c.

FRANKENFIELD & CO., JEWELERS, No. 320 Grand, corner Mulberry, and No. 223 Division-st., corner 2d-av., will sell for thirty days more American watches, French and American clocks, sterling silver and fine gilt silver-plated ware, to reduce their extensive stock before altering and enlarging their stores and factory.

MISCELLANEOUS.

MERCANTILE LIBRARY ASSOCIATION.

UNION NOMINATIONS FOR 1872.

FOR DIRECTORS:

CHARLES H. WILSON, with H. S. Cleiln & Co.
PETER VOORHIS, with Equitable Life Insurance Company.
J. G. CURRIE, with Taft, Griswold & Kellogg.
HENRY D. LLOYD, with American Free-trade League.

Election TUESDAY, May 21, 1872. Polls open from 9 A. M. to 3 P. M.

RATIFICATION MEETING TO SUPPORT THE ABOVE NOMINATIONS WILL BE HELD AT LEAVITT & CO.'S AUCTION-ROOMS, CLINTON HALL, ASTOR-PLACE, MONDAY EVENING, MAY 20, AT 8 O'CLOCK.

SAMUEL PUTNAM, JOSEPH H. LECOUR,
GEO. C. CLARKE, JAMES H. PERCIVAL,
A. W. SHERMAN, SETMOUR A. BUNCE,
CHARLES OSGOOD, GEORGE R. MILLS,
W. H. MARVINE, P. O. ROBERT,
Executive Committee.

OFFICIAL DRAWINGS OF KENTUCKY State Lottery, Extra Class A, for 1872:

45, 15, 2, 34, 39, 41, 36, 31, 42, 23, 12, 26, 33, 35.

Kentucky Class, No. 226, May 15, 1872.

3, 32, 22, 14, 37, 74, 66, 2, 35, 27, 41, 6.

Prizes cashed and circulars sent free by JOSEPH BATES, agent for Kentucky State Public Lottery, No. 102 Broadway, Room No. 4, upstairs.

GREEN-WOOD CEMETERY LOTS FOR SALE—A large and choice plot, containing seven full lots, in circular form, inclosed by a fine hedge and fence, situated in View Dell, section No. 75, one of the most beautiful situations in the grounds; will be sold separate if desired. MILTON F. WOOLLEY, No. 75 University place, near Union-square.

STAMMERERS—WHY TO YOU STAMmer when you can be cured in 20? New-York Stammering Institute, No. 97 West 23d-st. No boy under seven.

DRY GOODS.

B. ALTMAN & CO

331 SIXTH-AVENUE. 335

WILL OPEN ON

MONDAY, MAY 20,

A SPLENDID ASSORTMENT OF

DRESS AND TRIMMING SILKS

AT EXTRAORDINARY BARGAINS.

Best BLACK LUSTRINE and Faille Silk, suitable for Rising Grenadine Dresses, &c., at 81 and $1.25 per yard.

One CELEBRATED LYONS Gros Grain Silks still offered at $2.50 worth $3 to $4 per yard.

One more case of Japanese silk still on hand in stripes, figured and checks, 87c. and 90c. per yard.

LACES.

Our Lace Department is replete with the most desirable goods, and we invite attention to the following:

Guipure Laces,	Real Thread Laces,
Colored Cluny Laces,	Imitation Thread Laces,
Real Valenciennes Laces,	Soft Brussels Net, &c.,
Liberal Discount	to the Trade.

Which we shall offer at much lower prices than usual.

RIBBONS.

We have just opened a select stock of gros grain Bonnet Ribbons, Black Velvet Ribbons, Rich Sash Ribbons, Rich Ties and Scarfs; In all the Fashionable Shades to Match, at very lowest Prices.

LIBERAL DISCOUNT TO MILLINERS.

PARASOLS.

GREAT BARGAINS.

1 lot Silk Gloria PARASOLS, lined with silk, all colors, 3 yards wide, at $1 00
50 Blue Silk Parasols, lined in white and blue, at 1 00
1 lot Pongee Parasols, lined all colors, three feet wide, also one lot Pongee with satin bias, both Algine shades, at 2 75
100 Parasols, buff lined, all colors; lace and short handles, job lots, at 1 00
1 lot Victoria Parasols, with Ebonia handles; Algine silks; also other handles, at 2 00

The above is a rare bargain, at really beautiful material and style, worth per $3 00
(Every item 25 to 50 per cent. below value.)

Over 200 other styles of Parasols are on hand, of the latest importations from Paris and Berlin, comprising the most novel, elegant and cheap assortment to be found in the City.

Large size Changeable Silk Sun Umbrellas, blue, brown, green, gray, purple and garnet, at $2 00

Great reductions in DRESS GOODS.

GREAT SPECIALTIES IN GRENADINES! NOW OPEN.

In shades, double and treble, and narrow and wide. Very attractive goods in

BLACK AND WHITE,	Reduced
BLACK AND GOLD,	to
BLACK AND SILVER,	25 Cents
BLACK AND BLUE,	per Yard.
BLACK AND BROWN,	
BLACK AND PURPLE,	

RECEIVED PER LAST STEAMER,

200,000 YARDS,

in choice designs and colors, and narrow and wide, and Very attractive goods in

BLACK AND WHITE,	Reduced
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BLACK AND BLUE,	per Yard.
BLACK AND BROWN,	
BLACK AND PURPLE,	

RECEIVED PER LAST STEAMER,

200 pieces Jaconet Muslins, in choice styles, and double and single stripe.

100 pieces Bleached Muslin, all grades, reduced to 7c.
100 pieces extra wide Sash Stripe Lustre.
500 pieces Cable Cords, Fancy Stripes, &c.

An immense stock of Grass Goods on hand in every material, color and shade, especially suitable for the season's wear, at equally low prices.

CLOSING OUT BALANCE OF AMERICAN AND IMPORTED

SPRING SUITS.

We shall offer this week the balance of our Spring Stock of domestic and imported Walking and Traveling Suits and Costumes in linen, poplin, mohair and ripons, at very reduced prices, to make room for fresh arrival of new Summer Costumes.

LADIES' AND MISSES'

UNDER-WEAR AND OUT-FITTING DEPARTMENT

Containing every style of UNDER-GARMENTS for ladies and misses, in fine, ordinary, fine and extra sizes, in CAMBRIC, JACONET, CAMBRIC and LINEN, finished in the best manner, and at the lowest possible prices.

FINE LINEN CHEMISES, with Tucks, Insertings, Ruffles, &c.; also MUSLIN and CAMBRIC CHEMISES, in Lace, Inserting and Ruffle Puffs, &c., varying from $1 25 to $1 75.

LADIES' LINEN CHEMISES, very elaborately trimmed, with Lace Edging, Inserting, Puffing, &c., at $2 25, $2 50, $2 75, $3 and upward.

LADIES' FINE LINEN AUSTRIAN NIGHT-ROBES, tucked and ruffled; also trimmed with Lace and Inserting and Edging, at $2 25, $2 50 and upward.

LADIES' FINE MUSLIN AND LINEN DRAWERS, TUCKED, RUFFLED AND EMBROIDERED, 50c., 75c., $1 00 and upward.

Ladies' full-size Underskirts, 2 tucks and ruffles, 50c.

Fine cambric Walking Skirt, deep ruffle, tucks and hemstitched, 2 inches wide, $1 50.

Full line of MISSES' ROBES, CHEMISES, DRAWERS, SACQUES, APRONS, &c., at very attractive prices, to which we particularly invite attention and examination.

100 of the celebrated "Eureka" and "Peerless" Fitting Machines, which will be offered at the reduced prices of $5 50 and $6 75.

We devote our special attention to this department, and incorporate novelties and reductions each day, and invite the ladies to an inspection of the largest combination of stock of goods ever presented.

HOUSEKEEPING GOODS.

The most complete assortment of Linen Table Damask, Towels and Napkins, Marseilles Quilts, Piano and Table Covers, Nottingham Laces, Nottingham Setts, Cushions, real Tamboury Lace Curtains, Indian, Stamped Linen Quilt, Sheeting, &c.

Job lot of Linen Tablecloths, $2 25 up to $5, worth 25 per cent. more.

Job lot splendid 11-4 Quilts, from $2 25 to $3.

Splendid 12-4 Quilts, $3 50 to $4.

Nottingham Lace Curtains, $4 25 to $10 per set.

Fine Nottingham Lace, 31c. per yard.

25 sets Tamboury Curtains, $13 to $20 per set.

We particularly call the attention of housekeepers to this department, especially those about furnishing house, as very many economies will be offered this week.

Great reductions made in all departments this week, and ladies will find unlimited attractions in novelty, beauty, utility and price, at

B. ALTMAN & CO

NOS. 331 AND 333 SIXTH-AV.

COPARTNERSHIP NOTICES.

DISSOLUTION.

The copartnership heretofore existing under the style of WM. YOUNG & CO. in this City dissolved. The business of the firm will be settled by WM. YOUNG, at their former place of business, No. 82 Main-st., St. Louis, Mo.

WM. YOUNG & CO.

ST. LOUIS, April 22, 1872.

NEW-YORK, May 16, 1872.

THE FIRM OF MARQUAND & HILL is this day dissolved by mutual consent.

JOHN J. MARQUAND,
GEO. H. HILL,
THOMAS WIGGLESWORTH,
General Partners.

The undersigned have formed a limited partnership, pursuant to the laws of this State, under the firm name of MARQUAND, HILL & CO., in the stock brokerage business, on commission, to continue until the 16th day of May, 1877. The special partner, THOMAS WIGGLESWORTH, has contributed as cash capital of $60,000.

JOHN J. MARQUAND,
GEO. H. E. HILL,
General Partners.
CHARLES OSGOOD,
THOMAS WIGGLESWORTH,
Special Partner.

NEW-YORK, May 16, 1872.

MARBLE MANTELS.

A. KLANER—STEAM MARBLE AND MANTEL working works, Nos. 124 and 126 East 10th-st. Marble and marbleized mantels, tiling, marble counters, monuments at prices that defy competition. Much larger for 1872 trade.

S. KLANER & CO., No. 223 WEST 10th-st., Brooklyn, Factory 234 to 242. Marble and marbleized mantels, monuments, headstones, in great variety; cheapest in City. Designs on application.

STATIONERY.

SLOTE & JANES, STATIONERS, PRINTers and manufacturers of envelopes, No. 9 Frankfort-st. Blank books ruled to any pattern.

DRY GOODS.

A. T. Stewart & Co.

REQUEST THE SPECIAL ATTENTION of friends, customers and the residents of neighboring cities to the following

UNPRECEDENTED BARGAINS.

A case of
GRISAILLE STRIPE SILKS, } 81 per yard.

A case
BLACK GROUND SILKS, } $1 12½ per yard.
Fine White Lines.

A case
GRISAILLE SILKS, } $1 12½ to $1 37½ per yard.
Heavy quality.

Worth $1 50.

This entire stock of RICH SILKS in STEEL STRIPED and
BLACK AND WHITE WAVE,
24 inches wide, $2 50 per yard.
Exclusive this season from us.

An excellent grade of
BLACK GROS GRAINS,
Well recommended for SUMMER SUITS, at $1 75 $2 and $2 50.

An immense stock of the very finest BLACK SILKS, all qualities, from $2 75 to $6 50.
We build silks and to special shades.

100 pieces beautiful quality
PLAIN GREEN BERGE SILKS,
will be offered AT EXACTLY HALF THEIR FORMER PRICE, commencing at 81 per yard.

Fifteen cases
GRISAILLE STRIPED JAPANESE SILK,
ALL SILK ONE WAY, will be offered at 50c. per yard, price in March, 75c.

Several cases
JACQUARD BROCHE MIKADO SILKS, at 65c., price in April, $1 00.

Their DRESS GOODS SECTIONS will PRESENT EXTRAORDINARY ATTRACTIONS, both in style and quality.

Five cases
ECRU WASHING GRASS MATINTE, 8 inches wide, for MORNING COSTUMES, at 25c. per yard.

COLORED ALPACAS, brown grays and steels, at 16c., 25c., 37c. and 50c., all under value.

Several cases PURE MOHAIR, in assorted tints, at 25c., worth 37c.

Three cases
COLORED EMPRESS CRETONNES AND PARISIENNES CLOTHS.

ALL WOOL, at 25c., 37c. and 50c.; the latter would be very cheap at $1 per yard, and cannot be replaced for less.

Four cases
SILK WARP PONGEES, FOR FINE SUITS, at 62c., recently sold at $1 and $1 25.

All the new tints in PLAIN and GRAVIS STRIPED COLORED LYON GRENADINES, from 75c. per yard.

Thirty NEW SHADES OF COLORED CASHMERE D'ECOSSE, double width, for SACQUES and POLONAISES, with all the leading shades in plain colored FRENCH MOUSSELAIN DE LAINE, forming THE MOST RECHERCHE STOCK of LOW, MEDIUM and RICH DRESS GOODS ever offered in this City.

Thirty cases
BLACK ALPACAS,
at 25c., 28c., 37c., 50c. and 62c., all under value.

Three cases
BLACK CHAPE CLOTHS,
at 50c., 75c. and $1 per yard.

Black TAMISE CLOTHS, in all grades.

BENZETTA CLOTHS, ENGLISH POPLINS, and every requisite for MOURNING SUITS, at the lowest prices consistent with intelligence.

Six cases
STRIPED BLACK IRON GRENADINES, in various widths of stripe, from 50c. per yard.

PLAIN IRON GRENADINES at 62c., 75c., 87c. and $1 per yard, pure silk and wool.

COURTAULD'S ENGLISH CRAPES at reduced prices.

Their WHITE GOODS DEPARTMENT has been largely replenished and CONTAINS EVERY DESIRABLE FABRIC FOR SUMMER WEAR.

800 pieces
ORIENTAL CREPE NAINSOOKS,
from 25c. per yard, twenty per cent. below value.

A case of
STRIPED VICTORIA LAWNS,
Now this season, 25c.

Plain and Figured
ENGLISH and FRENCH PIQUES,
From 25c. to 62c.

Also several cases of
FRENCH ORGANDIE MUSLINS,
Forming a large assortment of reasonable goods.

A very excellent assortment of
LADIES' HOSIERY & UNDER-WEAR
Plain and Trimmed Pocket Handkerchiefs,
PARASOLS, PUNCHARES, Ribbons,
ALEXANDRE'S Celebrated KID GLOVES,
FANS, NECK-TIES, BOWS, SASHES,

With a beautiful selection of
LADIES', MISSES' and BOYS' IMPORTED and DOMESTIC
UNTRIMMED BONNETS and HATS,
At popular prices.

FLORIDA PALMETTO HATS
Just received, extra quality.

SUN HATS,
In WHITE, BROWN and BLACK,
At 75c. each.

BROADWAY, 4TH-AV., 9TH AND 10TH STS.

AT RICHARD MEARES',

6TH-AV. AND 18TH-ST.

Ladies making Spring purchases should not fail to visit our establishment before making their selections. We offer specialties in every department.

One lot Plaid Silks, 75c. a yard; Striped do., 62c.
400 pieces Striped Silks, $1 and $1 25 a yard.
Splendid Black Silks, $1 25, $1 50 and $1 75.
Very superior Lyons-dyed Gros de Londres Silks, $1 75 and $2, worth $2 50—a great bargain.
Japanese Silks, 50c., 62c., 75c. and 87c.
5 pieces beautiful Black Silk and Wool Cashmeres, 25c., 30c., 37c., 50c., 62c. and 75c., unprecedented prices.
800 pieces fast-color Prints, choicest designs, 12½c.
800 fine White Barred Shawls, fringed, $1 10, a great bargain; worth $1 50.

RICH LACE SHAWLS AND SACQUES, $10, $12, $15, and $18.

Fine French Wove Corsets, 75c., 87c. and $1.
Best Imported Corsets, $2 and $2 50.
Fine Night-gowns, tuck back and front, $1 25, full size.
Fine Chemises, 75c., 87c. and $1; well made.
Drawers with tucks and wide backing, 62c.

Handsomely-trimmed Bonnets and Round Hats, $5 to $15, half Broadway prices.
Great display of the French Flowers.

Excellent Kid Gloves, 87c. Best two-button, $1; Hosiery, Gloves and Under-garments, every make.

Ribbons, Dress Trimmings, Buttons and Fancy Goods.

500 dozen Brown Wrapping Paper, 2 lbs. for 5c. and 6c.; sold all over, 8c. and 10c. Only house in the City selling these goods at this price.

1 case wide Gingham Lawns, just received, at 20c., 25c., 75c., 87c., 90c. and $1 per yard.

Fine Hamburg Edgings and Insertings, 10c., 12c., 15c., 20c.

Children's handsomely-trimmed Linen Blouses, $1 50 and $1 75.
Children's Linen Suits, Mantillas and Linen Dusters, $2, $3, $3 50 to $5.
Ladies' Suits, handsomely trimmed, $5, $6, $8, $10; same material, change sacque.

Rich Laces and Embroideries in every style.

HOUSEKEEPING AND DOMESTIC GOODS.
Large and Elegant Assortment.

Wide Nottingham Laces, 25c., 37c., 50c., 62c. and 87c.

RICHARD MEARES,
CORNER 6TH-AV. AND 18TH-ST.
ONE ONLY STORE.

DRY GOODS.

STERN BROS.

227 SIXTH AVENUE, 229

TWENTY-SECOND AND TWENTY-THIRD STS.

Will offer MONDAY MORNING an entirely new stock of

Gros Grains and Taffeta Bonnet Ribbons, in all the most desirable shades, widths and colors, at GREAT BARGAINS.

75 Cartons Extra quality, full 7-inch, all Rolled Satin Ribbons, New End Shades, at ..... 50c.
50 Cartons Extra heavy Black Ribbons, pure silk, and equal to Gros Grains, at ..... 37½c.
Gros Grain Satin Ribbons in Pale Blues, Pinks, and all the most desirable shades, at 12½ Cents.
Plain and Fancy Widow Ties, Crepe de Chine and Tasselled Ties, Lace Ties and Bows, } VERY CHEAP.

LOW PRICES. { Gros Grain and Taffeta Trimming Silks, in all colors, from 81 to 25 per yard. All Silk and Mixed Turquoise, Velours, Reps, &c.

We are constantly replenishing our stock of PARASOLS, Children's Parasols, and are now offering them at

GREAT BARGAINS.

We are constantly receiving from the factory, and have selected with the greatest care, and our facilities are such that we are enabled to sell them at half their usual prices.

PARASOLS.

HAMBURG EDGINGS AND INSERTIONS.

Just received two cases of new importations, and choice designs, ranging in price from 10c. to $1. They are 25 per cent. below present goods offered.

REAL LACES.

We will offer MONDAY MORNING,
200 pieces FRENCH and GERMAN GUIPURE LACES,
Most desirable widths, from 3c. a yard, up at a great reduction from former prices.
REAL THREAD POINTE AND APPLIQUE LACES, from auction. Very low prices.
FRENCH and SPANISH BLONDE LACES.
BLACK AND WHITE MIXED AND BUFF GUIPURE LACES.
Very scarce and desirable.
GUIPURE BANDS AND APPLIQUE YOKES.

LADIES' SUITS.

We are now prepared to show a large, ELEGANT SELECTION OF SUITS
In White and Fancy Lawn, Linen, Cambric, &c., made and finished in the most fashionable manner, from the latest imported designs. We expect a few days more to open all of our importations.
One Linen Walking Suit, deep side plaiting and two rows plaiting above peplomb and tie.
White Lawn Walking Suit, three rows plaiting, peplomb or pouf, and tie.
Buff Linen Walking Suit, deep side plaiting and peplomb to match.
CAMBRIC AND PIQUE WALKING SUITS.
LADIES' AND CHILDREN'S
UNDER-GARMENTS.
Our Ladies' and Children's Under-Garments, in which we claim to excel, are unsurpassed for fine workmanship, and are made of the best materials and in the best manner.
We possess unusual facilities for manufacturing the same, and are enabled to offer them at very low prices.
Also, a full assortment of Ladies' and Children's Hosiery, Gloves, Corsets, Parasols, Fans, Ribbons, Laces, Trimmings, Buttons, Handkerchiefs, Neck-wear, Suspenders, Jewelry, Notions, &c.
Special attention is also directed to our
LADIES' AND CHILDREN'S HAT DEPARTMENT,
Where we are constantly receiving a new assortment of styles, not to be found elsewhere, and where all orders entrusted to us will be executed with promptness and dispatch.
Ladies' Dress Goods in Poplins, Cashmeres, Mohairs, Alpacas, Grenadines, Lawns, Piques, Percales, Muslins, Ginghams, Prints, &c., &c., in great variety, and at very low prices.
Ladies' Cloaks, Shawls, Suits, Dusters, Waterproofs, Sacques, Dressing Sacques, &c., in Cashmere, Cloth, Alpaca, Linen, Lawn, Piqué, Percale, Muslin, &c., &c., in great variety.
Ladies' Fine Shoes, Gaiters, Slippers, Balmorals, Buskins, &c., in Kid, Morocco, Cloth, Prunella, &c., &c., in great variety.
Ladies' Fine Leather Goods, Portmonnaies, Pocket-books, Satchels, Chatelaines, Belts, Bags, Purses, Card-cases, Traveling-cases, Dressing-cases, Writing-desks, &c., &c., in great variety.
Ladies' Fine Jewelry, Sets, Pins, Rings, Bracelets, Lockets, Chains, Studs, Sleeve-buttons, Scarf-pins, Watches, &c., &c., in great variety.
Ladies' Fine Toilet Articles, Combs, Brushes, Mirrors, Perfumery, Soaps, Powders, Cosmetics, Hair-goods, &c., &c., in great variety.
Ladies' Fine Fancy Goods, Toys, Games, Stationery, Pictures, Frames, Albums, Cutlery, Musical Instruments, &c., &c., in great variety.
Ladies' Fine Furnishing Goods, Linen Handkerchiefs, Collars, Cuffs, Sets, Ruffles, Ruchings, Crapes, Veils, Veilings, Flowers, Feathers, Hats, Bonnets, Trimmings, &c., &c., in great variety.
Ladies' Fine Millinery Goods, Straw Goods, Silks, Velvets, Ribbons, Crapes, Veils, Veilings, Flowers, Feathers, Hats, Bonnets, Trimmings, &c., &c., in great variety.
Ladies' Fine Millinery Goods, Straw Goods, Silks, Velvets, Ribbons, Crapes, Veils, Veilings, Flowers, Feathers, Hats, Bonnets, Trimmings, &c., &c., in great variety.

STERN BROTHERS,
227 SIXTH-AVENUE. 229

H. O'Neill & Co.,

Nos. 827 and 829 6th-av.,

WILL OPEN ON MONDAY

A FULL LINE OF

SPRING AND SUMMER GOODS,

ENGLISH ROUND HATS AND BONNETS.

French and English Chip, in all the New Shapes.

200 CASES NEW STRAW GOODS.

BONNET RIBBONS.

FULL ASSORTMENT OF ALL THE NEW SHADES AND WIDTHS.

SASH RIBBONS.

100 Cartons of 7-inch, all colors, 50c. yard, worth all silk.
50 Cartons PLAID and FANCY SASHES, 87c. and $1.

FRENCH FLOWERS.

WREATHS, MOUTLERS, VINES, GARLANDS, AUTUMN LEAVES.

Rich Laces.

Black Thread and Guipure, Guipure and Llama Lace Scarfs, Fichus and Collars, Grenadine Tunics, with Breteller, from $1 to $5.
Grenadine Tunics, with Breteller and Lace, from $7 to $8 and upward.

Embroideries.

1,000 doz. Plain Windsor Ties, 50c.,
WARRANTED ALL SILK.
400 Windsor Ties, 62c., sold on Broadway at 75c.
300 Gents' Linen Cambric Hdk. Gloves, $1.12½; worth $1.50.
300 doz. LUPIN'S Thread, $1 a.

WE ARE NOW OPENING A FULL ASSORTED STOCK OF

Fine Millinery and Lace Goods.

CAREFULLY SELECTED TO MEET THE WANTS OF THE BEST CITY TRADE.

N. B.—REDUCTION TO THE TRADE.

Ladies, Go to O'Neill's for MILLINERY GOODS.

A MOST EXTRAORDINARY REDUCTION IN MOURNING GOODS.

TRUE GRENADINES, warranted all SILK and WOOL, 50c., former price 62c.
Best silver gloss 62c., former price $1.
One case 2 yards wide at 75, former price $1.
One case 2 yards wide at $1 25, former price $1 50.
One case 2 yards wide at $1 12, former price $1 50.
SILK WARP HENRIETTA $1 25, former price $1 62.
CRAPE CLOTH 50c., former price 75c.
FRENCH CASSIMERES $1 25, former price $1 75.
BARATHEAS 75c., former price $1.
BLACK ALPACAS 25c., former price 37c.

BLACK SILKS.

One lot rich goods $1 25, former price $2.
One lot Silk goods $1 75, former price $2 25.
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Preparatory to going to Europe for my Fall stock, I will sell the above goods at

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SEEKING EXTRA EMPLOYMENT.

Decidedly I am in want of an employment. I think there is no possible doubt about that.

My present occupation of ecommercial correspondent, I am sorry to say, can neither be regarded in the light of a steady nor highly lucrative position. Nevertheless, my time seems to be pretty fully occupied, though my work is of a singularly disjointed character. It must be confessed that it is hard, with my imagination fired by that wonderful work of mine, *Protoplasma, Regarded in their Relationship to Man*, to be forced, in the midst of an unfinished chapter, to leave it, with a sad mental wrench, and go to work on subjects more connected to the general public. And yet this *magnum opus* of mine, when finished, (those absurd publishers have, one and all of them, refused its advance me a single penny on it,) must eventually, beside handing down my name to posterity, give my wife a coupé, a cashmere and cameos; myself a luxurious library, with a green morocco lounge, with a Venus of Milo over the mantelpiece, and my boys Shetland ponies, and an education at Yale or Harvard. I believe this firmly, as does my wife. Why, then, should such baneful necessities as bread, shoes, cabbages, or soap, (I unhesitatingly these wretched things,) why should they force me to seek further employment?

Perhaps both ends of my existence do not meet, and just as Rhoy as not there is a gap in the Egyptian symbol of my impecunious eternity.

It having been thus decided that I had better buy or sell something, the difficulty was to find out what that something should exactly be. Without any other guide than the conviction that something must be done, I commenced to do that vague thing called "looking around me." A very kind and commercial friend suggested pills, but this was not well received by my wife. Another thought a new brand of chewing tobacco, with prizes of a house and lot in every one hundred packages, might lead to fortune.

It is strange how soon the ideas of huge mercantile ventures entered into my mind. Patents even lured me, and readnor over the monthly lists I was for some time in a fearful state of hesitancy whether it should be sewing-machines or butter churns, there being a strong predilection on my part to correspond with a lucky parentee, who had a medicine duly entered in the archives at Washington, for "curing hogs of a distressing illness." It struck me, even, that I had mistaken my vocation, and that I had labored for long years in vain. Another rut was the one fitting for me. Perhaps I had a dual mind. Was not JOHN ROGERS both poet and banker? Did not BEAUMARCHAIS find time to mend watches, write sonnets, bring out his "Marriage de Figaro," and carry on vast mercantile speculations? There was, too, that sly old fox, VOLTAIRE, who always contrived to manage his affairs with the finesse of a perfect financier.

"In this advanced age," I had remarked to my wife, "everything is ready found for those who search in the right place for it. What a wonderful thing advertisements are! I know if I wanted a person to translate the Protoplasma into Pilian, I should only have to advertise for such a man, and undoubtedly I would receive no end of applications from people who were perfectly competent, and who had done nothing else but work up Fiji all their lives. Let us examine the paper then, and see if some one does not require the services of just such an individual as myself. How convenient is then a paper, especially when there is a supplement to it! How quickly one can find out just what one wants."

"Why here is a whole column of people, all anxious to have agents," said my wife, running her finger up and down a column.

We examined them together studiously and carefully.

"You have no objection to becoming an agent, have you?" said my spouse.

"None in the least," I replied.

"Strange," went on my wife, "we never thought of that before. Of course, with your knowledge of business, you can understand them—what these people want—better than I can."

"Very possibly;" and I read down the column. "I must confess," I said as I reached the bottom, "that they are composed in a singular enigmatical way; for what they exactly mean I can't understand. Here is one who offers a horse and buggy as a free gift to any one who will become an agent."

"You couldn't accept that, for the reason that you do not know how to drive. You might break your precious neck."

"But here is some one else, who offers a real silver watch to any one who will act as agent," I continued.

"If it was a gold watch, with your *chiffre* nicely enamelled on the back of it, it might do. Pray give me the paper," and, smoothing it down on her knee, she again went along the column. "'Hector,' she exclaimed, 'this is evidently what we want. Trust to me. You know a woman's intuitive judgment is always right. Here is just the advertisement we require. If we succeed—not that my confidence in Protoplasma is the least shaken—any little addition to our revenue, if it simply paid Mrs. Mallooy, the washer-woman, would be such a comfort. I will read it." Here she decisively, in that sweet, mellow voice of hers, the following:

"Agents! agents!! agents!! wanted, both male and female. A most desirable and captivating process of manufacture. Beautiful, elegant and chaste!! Children can be taught it and make money at it. Any one can learn it dropped at any time. The art can be acquired in a single lesson. Some of our friends are making $25 a day at it."

"Say we work but two—at the utmost three days in the week at it—that is $75," I said, enthusiastically.

"Pray, do not interrupt," said my wife, as she continued. "Send twenty-five cents to Double Blank & Co., Peteriousville, Mass."

My wife's air of conviction settled the business, and that fragmentary portion of United States currency was forwarded to Peteriousville. As a method of precaution we looked in the Gazeteer for the town, and found it. "Peteriousville—2,000 inhabitants; lyceum; manufactures; celebrated for the industry and intelligence of its citizens." In fact, nothing could have been more reassuring. The day after the note was sent nothing but the prudence of my wife prevented my purchasing (on credit) a new hat and a bird's-eye neck tie, but she declared such extravagance to be premature.

At last a reply came, just as I was commencing the eighty-third chapter of my work. It was quite a voluminous envelope, and certainly contained a quantity of printed matter; evidently the whole process of perfecting this manufacture, whatever it might be, was elaborated therein. Opening the letter with eager hands, we read the following, printed, I must say, in very poor and worn type, and of singular dirty and flimsy paper: "The Chinese, likewise the Japanese, ornament their fans with many beautiful ornaments. In Summer the use of fans is universal." "Excuse the tautology," said my wife, "it may not be elegantly expressed, but so far it is perfectly true." "A painted fan is 'a thing of beauty forever.'" "Alas, poor poet!" said my wife. "By the use of our stencils, the most chaste, elegant and elaborate" ("There are two I's in it," I said; "that looks bad") "ornamentation can be given to the simplest fan. Send $1 by return mail, and we will forward you six of our elegant plain paper fans, three dozens of our patent color wash, and one brush, with stencils. Agents wanted in every part of the United States. Double Blanks & Co., Peteriousville, Mass."

I could see half a tear in my good wife's eyes as she tried to hide it with a smile. "Never despair," cried my wife. "Here is another. It's very cheap—one more venture. The advertiser of the paper is such that they could not allow any advertisements of a spurious character to have a place in its columns."

"Let me read it," I exclaimed. "There is a peculiar fascination about this kind of thing. If we were only rich, and could afford to go all through the list, sending halves and quarters of dollars all over the United States, perhaps in time—after, of course, a certain expenditure of money—we might hear on something. This time it will only cost ten cents," and I read as follows: "A Fortune.—For ten cents a process is given by which a useful substance, found in every household—can be made at a low cost. For fifteen cents a return can be made of one, two and three dollars. Remit ten cents to R. A. Genin, Stanchly—Post-office, Maine." We sent ten cents. Almost immediately the response came. In fact, there was very little expectation on our part about it. The reply this time was written, and in a beautiful hand, with no end of graceful flourishes. It was as follows:

SINCERITY, May 10, 1872.

To Mr. Hector ——

To a pint of molasses, not to exceed ten cents in cost, add one to two gallons of rain water. If rain-water is not procurable, well-water will do as well. Add a tablespoonful of yeast; put it in a keg, cover (the bung-hole with a piece of gauze and expose to the sun. The result will be white wine vinegar. Very respectfully,

E. A. GENIN.

"Shall we try it again?" I asked. "I daresay such a compound might make very good vinegar."

"No, Hector," said the chaser of my joys; "that vinegar has entirely dissolved my pearl of hope. I will take baby's socks and darn them, while you write a chapter of your Protoplasm. I think, dear, you may read your last chapter to me;" and, with some what of a sigh, she sat down beside me.

TRAVELERS FOR EUROPE.

The following passengers left this port for Europe yesterday:

Per steam-ship *Ville de Paris*, for Havre.—H. L. Hogret, P. L. F. Mrs. Foy, Master J. Foy and maid, Miss L. Caoutean, Mr. and Mrs. Johnson and three Misses Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. Hepp, H. T. Hepp, C. C. Hall, Thomas Henning, Dr. D. Bineau, A. E. Bignon, Mrs. Brown, Misses E. and L. Brown, F. Brown, C. E. Hill, N. F. Huns, H. Barry, J. Gutierres Calderon, L. Pratt, H. Havemeyer, wife, two children and two maid servants, W. M. Havemeyer, A. J. Havemeyer, F. Howdever, Miss Roberts, Miss Annie Roberts, J. Schmidt, Duncan McDougall, Wm. E. Baker, J. H. Hall, Mrs. Hall, Miss Martha J. Hall, Mrs. E. C. Hall, F. Monet, Henry Astie, Mrs. Astie, Mrs. S. Fisher and two children, Mr. Barelli and man servant, Alfred Masson, Mrs. Masson, F. R. Arnold, Mrs. Arnold, two children and maid servant, Miss Mary Arnold, L. Brainard, W. T. Klots, Mrs. Klots, Miss L. Klots, Master C. Klots, Master E. Klots and two maid servants, John J. Parker, Mr. Escoriaza, Mrs. Escoriaza, Miss Escoriaza, Mr. Escoriaza, Jr., and maid servant, Mrs. Perry, Mrs. Domingo, Bramocelo, Mlle. Dolores Fernandez, Miss Carlotta Fernandez, Miss Emily Fernandez, Mr. Blum and daughter, Mrs. McDonald, L. A. Majot and wife, P. Majot, L. Magot, H. Bacharach and wife, Miss M. Bacharach, Miss Henrietta Bacharach, Miss Florence Bacharach and two maid servants, E. Bacharach, Scooler, A. Delmez, E. Emstein and lady, M. Bacot and lady, C. A. Reed, Mrs. and Miss E. Sopena, R. C. Johnson, E. Casmard, R. C. Stephens, L. J. Solomon and lady, Mrs. Warden, H. J. Abbott, W. H. Bernard, W. Sucab and lady, Mr. and Mrs. T. D. Stell, Miss Abbott, Mrs. J. J. Otis, E. Franconi, Miss C. Brasque, Miss Hunt, Mr. Coulon, J. Meyer, Mr. Bailey and wife, N. Nougaret, C. Balseau and wife, G. Monot, Mr. Versnoli and wife, Mr. Metarau, E. Arnaud, Mr. Xavier Vaudanne and wife, Mrs. Lacy, child and maid servant, F. Maynard, J. Grafton, Mrs. Grafton, Miss E. F. Farone, L. Trefousse, Mrs. J. Bord, Miss Crooke, Miss Nues, H. Vreeland, A. L. Hutchinson, L. Cougot, Mr. Arnold, Mr. Oppenheim, Louis Munt, S. Bachmann, L. A. Despagne, E. Delisle, Mr. Crehauge, Mrs. Morenal, Mr. Bacharach, M. Bechavanis, Mr. West, Mrs. West, Mrs. Carruce, Miss C. Carruce, Mrs. A. Carruce, P. Beaucoler, J. C. Walker, Mrs. Walker, child and maid servant, Mrs. William and wife, Mr. Bermudes and child, F. Deadier, Mrs. Wm. Cohen, Miss Rosey B. Cohen, Mme. J. Battels, Mrs. L. Battels, Mrs. Bertaud, F. Pattoni, Miss C. Taxte, Miss Gradlon's maid servant, Mme. Lenoir, Mr. Leblet, Mr. Castex, Mr. Lerioche, Mr. Canisenet, Mr. Marsano, Mrs. Leonline, M. Havanna, Mrs. Deners, J. Capal, Mrs. L. Capel, Mrs. Leviello, Miss Leviello, E. Reyes, S. Hurtado, Col. T. Cren, T. Cren, Mr. and Mrs. Blum, Miss Bellet, Mr. and Mrs. Dealon, Master Mendebach, Mrs. Duncanch, Mr. and Mrs. Marchant, Mr. and Mrs. Delabranche, Mr. Dufore, Peiety Spigo, A. Nottman, Mrs. A. Nottman and family, Mrs. C. V. Hamilton, Mr. and Mrs. Trejan, Mr. and Mrs. Elosua and family, F. Lizuia, R. Sonto, Mr. Ferier, C. Rauhofer, Miss Fre. Uhanan, E. Eschofer, T. Pimmel, J. Holve, J. F. Salade, N. Ferrosa, A. Domeck and wife, L. Domeck, Miss L. Domeck, Dr. Cnambon, J. B. Elsade, J. Daman Lacosaigne, Mrs. Mahler, F. Venleman, J. Abadie, Mrs. Hess, Mrs. Deisuet, Miss A. Capmar-in, Mme. A. Grand, Mrs. Brupbacher, Miss Brupbacher Miss Marie Girard, Mrs. Birbenson, Mrs. F. Pelman, F. Bonvier, Mr. Servante, Mrs. Forest, J. F. Frasse, Mrs. A. Abert, Mrs. H. Abert, Mrs. Bertrand, Mme. Marguerite Gammal, Mrs. Maria Tmusetta, Mrs. Rose Rauhofer, Miss Blanche Rauhofer, Mrs. C. Rauhofer, Mrs. Masson, Mr. Fribus, Mr. Carlisle, F. Caire, J. P. Larroude, A. Forret, Mr. Barellis, and man servant, Mr. Morin, Mrs. Abadi, Mrs. Desky, F. Depaut, J. Rose, Mrs. Rhame, Mrs. Cougot, Mrs. Vonregarde, Mrs. Misses Laroude, Mrs. Chevalan, Mr. Michot, P. Charlan, Antonia Charlan, A. Charlan, P. M. Fallaster, P. Radurrant, Pierre Richard, F. Antoine Pierre, Jacques Trisette, Mr. Bellanda, Benoit Levy, Mr. and Mrs. Vinay, Armand Yastiuno, Mrs. Dreuse and child, Nicolo Covignano, Ernard Victor Remon, Mme. Lanis Josephine, Miss Maria Annes, Paul and Louis Annes, Eugene Bersin, Mrs. Mr. G. and Mrs. C. Michot, and others. Total 347.

Per Steam-ship *Republic*, for Liverpool.—Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Voss and the Misses and Master, Mrs. D. E. Wheeler and maid, J. H. Sparks, Messrs. A. H., H. G. and G. M. Moore, Mrs. Moore, Mrs. A. J. Stokes, Mrs. F. G. Bosworth, daughter and son, Mr. and Mrs. J. Jacques and wife, S. J. Jaques, Miss M. A. Jacques, Louise E. Jacques, Miss Harvey, L. Jacques, Mrs. L. L. Hyatt, T. Morrill, Mrs. A. M. and A. H. Moore, Dr. J. T. Shaw and wife, Miss C. L. Shaw, R. Shaw, D. P. Clapp and wife, Miss Harvey, Mrs. J. McArthur, Prof. G. J. Chase, Mrs. C. Chase, Miss E. Wasserman, Mrs. Sherman, Lowell, Vernon, Lyman, E. W. Van Voorhis, Mrs. E. Thompson, Mrs. L. T. Thompson, Mrs. J. E. Waller, T. D. Pelton and wife, A. Nicoud, J. Connoly, H. D. McGowan, George C. Bell, Ed. Berry, Miss Tobin, Dr. Spears, Miss R. Spears, James O. Bedell, F. Phelps, Mrs. F. Phelps, Mrs. Lewgoodrich, Mr. Badger, H. Hill, J. F. Desmarest, Miss Terry, Miss Badgler, D. L. Schoenberg, Miss Schonberg, Master Schonberg, Mrs. C. J. McAlister, Mrs. Nathan Appleton, E. Viremundoy, J. Hassall, C. L. Crawford, A. B. Maximo, C. E. Waters, R. G. Glendenning, Mr. Hadley, Miss F. J. Birch, J. H. Dobell, G. P. Bristan, Prof. Wilde, Mrs. Wilde, R. J. Mather, T. E. Evans, Miss J. Scoville, Miss M. L. Collins, Wm. C. Moore and wife, Miss Y. T. Von Buskirk, A. Walsh, Dr. and Mrs. Samuels, E. R. Dewing, Mr. and Mrs. Coleman, Miss N. Howard, Miss Gertrude Smith, Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Terry, Mr. Wheeler, W. W. Kenyon, D. L. Bassett, J. and Miss M. J. Baker, J. Birch, Mrs. J. Birch, E. R. Simpson, Misses A. and F. Simpson, Mrs. Pentreath, J. Brands, J. J. Bruden, Miss J. M. Pier, Mrs. T. and Miss M. Ovington, Mrs. Robinson, C. S. Brainard, J. H. Grayson, C. H. Hooker, Dr. J. S. Seaton, G. P. Pandleton, C. F. Lang, Dr. W. Winer, E. Castwell.

Per steam-ship *Deutschland*, for Bremen.—Henry Bielefeld and family, Miss L. Diesel, S. Ullmann, family and servant, C. Kuhle, A. Helmke and family, Wm. L. Hildeburn and wife, Mr. Kenteon, Rev. H. Schaufer and family, F. Valdez, J. F. Aguirre, J. P. Aguirre, Jr., H. Schmidt, Mrs. Frans Mann, G. Gunther, S. Engel and wife, H. Jasper, J. Gonzales, C. A. Meagan, Miss Lauste, P. Cook and wife, J. Mas, J. Reatendorfer, family and servant, C. Mueller, J. H. Hoffman, family and servant, A. Konig, I. Busch, B. Trentmann and wife, M. Heidelbach, A. Heidelbach, Miss H. Heidelbach, H. Gohen, E. Levy, W. A. Frohbieh, Mrs. O. Alexander and children, Mrs. J. E. Kellogg and children, Mrs. W. H. Jacobs and children, R. P. Oeuch, E. White, W. Dahl and family, H. Schuch and wife, Mrs. L. Holisberg and son, Mrs. M. Schall, F. Greffenberg, D. Struss and family, O. W. von Campen and wife, Miss C. von Campen, H. Janucke and wife, J. R. Ziegenthaler, Mrs. B. Ziegenthaler, G. W. Deissmer, J. O. Taxis, Mrs. Pauline Taxis, S. Weubarger, F. Segen, Jam ity, H. Bates and wife, H. Setzer and family, S. Gottlieb, Mrs. L. Muller, Mrs. Betty Adam and daughter, W. Reitenlanger and family, Mrs. Caroline Wiegand, L. Vonsiann and family, Mrs. Ernst Vogel, Theodor Kaib and son, Dr. Johann Stutzels and wife, Mrs. Henriette Wachsmann and children, Joseph Meyer, Philipp Schmidt, Felix Lehmann, Michael Aas, J. L. Richberg, Jacob Wellauer, J. Ryl, W. Ingen and wife, J. M. Romadka, O. Von Dohlen and family, J. Schindelholtz, F. Lenter, C. Wrtchen, J. Grundarat, J. J. Miller, Mrs. Spriestzen, Misses and daughter, Miss A. Schirmar, W. Lotis, D. Gobe, Mr. George Seits, Mrs. Dr. Steck, G. Heinrich, J. Krotschin, J. Maguire, P. Fohrenbaen and family, Mrs. C. Schirmer, Mrs. M. Rickenbach, L. Brun and family, W. Maisenneuf and wife, A. D. Eckenberg, A. Schmidt, C. Schroeder, Mrs. M. D. Hetz and daughter, G. Stehl.

Per steam-ship *City of Montreal*, (Inman line,) for Liverpool.—Wm. A. Wyatt, B. A. Lyon, Mrs. Robertson, Miss Kane, Miss Caroline O'Connor, Miss Susie O'Connor, Mrs. Hewson, Miss Ellie Hewson, Miss Josie Hewson, S. Paxton, Mr. Campbell, Henry B. King, B. H. Boer, W. Howard Appold, L. Offuple, Jas. H. Cator, Right Rev. Bishop McIlvaine, Miss Maddox Miller, Irvin Miller, Miss Sadie Miller, Mr. Thompson and wife, Mr. Whittaker, wife and 3 children, Mrs. A. L. Lahman and 3 children, J. B. Fryer and wife, Miss Smith, A. M. Smith, wife and daughter, Wm. Allen, wife and 4 children, S. J. Curtiss, wife and child, Mrs Jane Dilworth, Master Nicholson and wife, Harry R. Fulton, Andrew Dilworth, John Coventry, Levi H. Evans, W. Evans, Mr. Thompson, Walter Coventry, David Hunter, Mrs. Wm. C. Conner, Mrs. Gurlie, Miss Lillie Gurley, Miss Eliza Conner, Miss McAuliffe, J. Howell and wife, De. J. B. Jackson, Wm. McCammon, Mrs. Tweddell and daughter, W. H. Jordan, Mr. Grenett and Treed, Wm. E. Webster, Ged. B. Springsteen, Wm. M. Haddock, Geo. Sargent and wife, Geo. Sargent, Jr., James Adams, F. A. Brown, W. J. Caufield, J. J. Bogert, R. H. Vieugaert, W. H. Hall, Uncle Schmidt, Wm. Z. Fergusson, D. G. Mulford, J. Robeson, O. J. Purdy, J. C. Gilbert, R. F. Butler, Humphrey Evans, J. W. Evans, Mrs. Wm. Marshall, Mrs. Hepburn and child, Mr. Applegate and wife, Mr. Rodgers, John O'Neill, W. Houston, wife three children and servant, Wm. Weir, H. E. Pindley, J. M. Smith, Signor Brignoli and wife, Miss Cisme R. Mason, R. Warner, Jr.

Per steam-ship *Parthia*, for Liverpool.—Jean B. Byens, Miss Evans, J. G. Saihbridge, Otto Lachenmeyer, Mrs. Lachenmeyer and infant, Miss C. V. Watson, Mrs. G. O. Gibson, Miss Gibson, F. Fielder, James Stuart, Capt. H. Reed, L. Henry, Theo. Haviland, Fred. Wiggins, Wm. Riddell, L. N. Carswell, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. West and two children, Miss O. Blum, E. Benson, Sam. Wagner, W. F. Pappee, A. Wilkinson, W. A. Peck, E. J. Tackaberry, C. F. Hales, C. Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Witherbee, Miss Witherbee, Master Witherbee, Mr. and Mrs. F. Chesney, Mrs. Concoran, Mrs. M. E. Bey, E. Chauncey, child and infant, Mrs. McDonnell, child and infant, Mrs. Welsh, Hon. and Mrs. Alpheus Hardy, Miss Buckingham, Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Converse and child, Mrs. Jacobs and Master Converse, Miss Blanchard, Miss and Master Converse, Mr. and Mrs. F. F. Bemis, R. H. Whitney and Mrs. Annie L. Pinckney, Mrs. W. F. Tritton, Miss Stuart, W. H. Vanderhorst, T. J. Curtis, C. O'Donnel, Charles Lewis, Walter W. Barker, James Woodward, H. H. Pudling, Mrs. Syzzes, Miss Waller, Mr. Medhurst, Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Holmes, Mr. and Mrs. A. Fraser, Mrs. A. F. Pinckney, Miss Chaney, Mrs. Pinckney, Mrs. Forester, E. B. Peabody, G. H. Morten, Mr. Albeshul and son, Henry (Harcove), A. P. Bemeth, Baron Farmons, Mr. Casserove, Mr. Wells, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Spangler, John Foser, Miss Stuart, Thomas Walston, T. B. Stork, H. E. Abert, W. M. Courtenay, J. Schurrman, W. W. Eastge, Alex. McDowall, L. Bruen.

Per steam-ship *India*, (Adelaide line,) for Liverpool.—Mrs. Turner, Master Turner, Edwin A. Beaumont, Dayre Courcast, wife and family, Miss Ann Dickson, Mrs. Shore, Mrs. Parry, Rev. G. Draper and wife, Mrs. Horton and sister, Mrs. Caffrey, Julius Schloss, R. J. Morson, James Bindle, Thomas Wall, Rev. Jas. E. Irvine, Louis Benjamin, James Bell, David Stevenson, Thos. Robier, F. Hall, Wm. Barsley, Wm. Bisherne, Rev. E. F. Wilson and wife, Dominick Castagnet and wife, Amelia Castagnet, Miss Janet Reid, Mrs. Fannie Day, Mrs. E. Fox, Otis F. Hill and wife, Chas. O. Hill, Jean Houreade, Joseph Durrout, Vincent Larroche and wife and family, William Gibson, Charles E. Triplet, Frank MacEbcoon, Joseph Reball, Jacques Reball, Rev. Robert Court, Patrick Dougherty, John Cooke, 2, Loumes.

DARING ROBBERY.

A Bank Messenger Robbed of $5,000 in Open Daylight.

Yesterday morning, between 11 and 12 o'clock, as one of the messengers of the Gallatin National Bank, Wall-street, was collecting on his route, he was accosted by three men in Nassau-street, near John, who, after asking a few questions commenced to jostle against him, and succeeded in relieving him of his pouch, containing nearly $5,000 in gold certificates and checks, and between $400 and $500 in bills. As soon as the messenger discovered his loss, he informed his employers and informed them of it. JAMES N. SAMPSON, a United States detective, was employed to work up the case, and from the description given of the men, they are believed to be the notorious Whitey Bob and ROBERT OSBURGH; both of these men were seen loitering about on the street corner about the time of the robbery. As the thieves are well known, and the man can identify those who jostled against him, Detective SAMPSON expects to make an arrest soon. Payment of the checks has been stopped.

Trotting at Fleetwood Park.

The programme for the sport at the above course, yesterday, embraced two races—the first a match of $400, between W. E. WEEKS' b. m. *Melrose* and JOHN MURPHY'S s. m. *Jane*, and the second a match for $500, between W. E. WEEKS' s. g. *Star Henry* and JOHN MURPHY'S br. m. *Kate*. The attendance was rather slim, the majority of those who interest themselves in the sports of the turf keeping back for the Spring meeting, which begins here on Tuesday next. The following are the particulars of the first race:

FIRST HEAT.—*Jane* sold for $90, and *Melrose* $50. On the second score they were off together, but *Melrose* broke on the turn, and *Jane* went away six lengths, and was four lengths in front at the quarter-pole in 42 seconds. On the backstretch *Jane* opened the lead again to six lengths, but she broke, and *Melrose* closed to within two lengths of her at the half-mile-pole. Time, 1:28½. On the lower turn *Melrose* went to the front, and maintained the advantage to the end, winning the heat by four lengths in 2:34½.

SECOND HEAT.—*Melrose* was the favorite on the second score, and she went away with *Jane* very handily, leading a length on the turn. At the quarter-pole, in 43½ seconds, she was half a length in front. On the backstretch *Jane* caught *Melrose*, and then passed her, and showed four lengths in front at the half-mile-pole in 1:25. On the lower turn *Melrose* left her feet, and *Jane* got eight lengths away and finally won the heat by ten lengths in 2:31.

THIRD HEAT.—On the lower turn *Melrose* broke off by a length, and increased her lead to four lengths on the turn. Approaching the quarter-pole, however, *Melrose* closed up, and three lengths divided them at the quarter-pole in 42½ seconds. On the backstretch, however, *Jane* got away, and at eight lengths at the half-mile-pole in 1:25. She maintained the lead all the way home, winning the heat easily by four lengths in 2:32½.

FOURTH HEAT.—After one false start they were sent off with *Melrose* slightly in front, but on the turn *Jane* showed ahead, and although she broke once, led three lengths at the quarter-pole in 42½ seconds. The backstretch *Melrose* got further away, and was six lengths in the van at the half-mile-pole in 1:24. She kept her lead the remainder of the heat, and came in an easy winner by six lengths in 2:30½.

SUMMARY:

FLEETWOOD PARK, Saturday, MAY 18.—Match, $400; mile heats, best three in five, in harness.

J. Murphy entered s. m. *Jane*.....1 1 1
W. E. Weeks entered b. m. *Melrose*.....2 2 2

TIME:	Quarter.	Half.	Mile.
First heat	43	1:28½	2:34½
Second heat	42½	1:22	2:31
Third heat	43	1:24½	2:32½
Fourth heat	42½	1:24	2:30½

SECOND TROT.

This was also a match, and was for $500, between W. E. WEEKS' s. g. *Star Henry*, and MURPHY'S br. m. *Kate*.

SUMMARY.

SAME DAY—Match $500; mile heats, best three in five, in harness.

Jno. Murphy named br. m. *Kate*.....1 2 2 1 1
W. E. Weeks named s. g. *Star Henry*.....2 1 1 2 2

TIME:	Quarter.	Half.	Mile.
First heat	43½	1:28	2:37½
Second heat	42	1:21½	2:27½
Third heat	43	1:24	2:30½
Fourth heat	42	1:23	2:31½
Fifth heat	43	1:26	2:34½

Trinity Church.

The services at the great Episcopalian Cathedral today will be peculiarly impressive. The decorations have been confined to bouquets upon the altar and a floral pyramid in the christening font, composed principally of white roses, rube roses, verbenas, violets and calla lilies. The music of the morning service will include a grand processional hymn, an introit by BARNBY, Kerie Eleison by GOUNOD, the Nicene Creed by GOUNOD, Third Motet by MOZART, Sanctus and Agnus Dei by GOUNOD, Gloria in Excelsis by the same, and a grand recessional hymn. There will be also an evening service of much solemnity.

Report of the French War Relief Committee.

The Ladies' Executive Committee of the Bazaar, in aid of the victims of the war in France, report that the net receipts of the Bazaar were $77,069 21. Of this sum there was distributed to the Strasbourg Committee $10,000; Society of Friends, $20,000; Society of Friends, second envoy for Paris, $6,324 64; Comte de Flavigny, for the Ambulance Corps, $10,000; Foster Monet, for relief, $10,000; Mr. Pierrepont, for same, $1,000; Comité du Pain, Comte de Kergorlay, $20,000; balance in hand of Treasurer of fund, $236 77. Numerous reports received from beneficiaries of the fund bear gratifying testimony to the timely and generous aid which the Society has afforded in alleviating the distress caused by the war.

The East Side Association and Mr. Whitbeck.

At a meeting of the General Committee of the East Side Association, last evening, Mr. CHAS. CRAY in the chair, the following resolution was proposed by Mr. JACOB P. MILLER and unanimously adopted:

Resolved, That the General Committee of the East Side Association hereby express their cordial appreciation of the arduous and faithful services of our Chairman, Hon. W. WHITBECK, as member of Assembly of the Twenty-first District during the recent session of the Legislature, and that he be requested to do the great state and thanks of this Association therefor.

The Committee afterward waited on Mr. WHITBECK at his residence, and presented him with a copy of the resolution.

The Thompson-Conner Abortion Case.

In the Supreme Court, Chambers, on Friday, Judge LEONARD granted a writ of habeas corpus in the matter of GEORGE R. GYLES, under arrest on a charge of causing the death, by abortion, of Mrs. LOWDON, late of Thompson-street. Yesterday, prisoner's counsel, the District-Attorney and the Coroner served that the inquest should proceed on Monday, that all proceedings on the writ of habeas corpus should be adjourned, and that the case should be removed to the Supreme Court.

NEW-YORK AND SUBURBAN NEWS.

NEW-YORK.

The Journeymen Horseshoers' Protective Association will hold their annual parade and meeting in this City to-morrow.

The body of an unknown man, about fifty years of age, was found yesterday in the East River, at the foot of Oliver-street.

CHAS. PACKARD was killed by a spar falling on him, yesterday, while on board the sloop *Lady Adams* lying in the East River.

The steamer *Nelly White* will resume her trips from Catharine to Rockaway Beach, next month, making two trips every Sunday.

The remains of an unknown man, evidently a sailor or lumberman, were found yesterday in the water at Pier No. 54 East River.

Bishop POTTER will administer the rite of Confirmation in the Floating Church, foot of Pike-street, East River, this afternoon at 4 o'clock.

WM. EVANS, a longshoreman, who was struck on the head by a heavy log several days ago while at work at Greenpoint, died yesterday from his injuries.

The Church of the Resurrection will today, for the first time, occupy the new edifice in Forty-seventh-street, near Lexington-avenue. There will be services morning and evening.

JULIA WALL, who keeps a drinking saloon in Washington-street, was committed to the Tombs by Justice DOWLING, yesterday, charged with having stolen the trousers of Jonas MOSES.

Mr. N. MCKAY denies that he was arrested last week while in Jersey City at the suit of Ex-Senator TAYLOR. He says he left funds with his counsel to pay the judgment entered against him.

The steam-boat train, so popular in former seasons, for Hartford, Springfield, &c., in connection with the New-Haven boat, from Peck-slip at 5¼ P. M., commences running Monday next.

DANIEL REARDON, of No. 45 Centre-street, fell exhausted, yesterday, while at work in the caisson of the East River Bridge, at the foot of Roosevelt-street, and was taken to the Park Hospital.

WM. GOLDTHWAITE, who comes to New-York for the purpose of contesting Judge HILTON'S will, is reported to be in poor health at present, and is quoted to open a billiard room on Fourth-avenue.

A correspondent suggests that the Directors of Grace Church be requested to move the weathercock which was placed in 1861 and is still standing at the top of the church spire. He expects some day to hear of its falling and being the cause of loss of life.

EDWARD POWERS and JAMES LYNCH quarreled yesterday at their residence, No. 108 Cressy-street, and during the fracas which followed LYNCH stabbed POWERS in the head with a pen-knife, and POWERS gashed LYNCH'S upper lip. Both were arrested.

The American Baptist anniversaries begin on Thursday next in the Calvary Church, with a prayer-meeting under direction of Rev. R. S. MCARTHUR. The Missionary Union, the Publication and the Home Mission Societies follow each other Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday.

An inquest was held yesterday in the case of Mrs. MARGARET KUTTELHAN, of No. 146 Second-street, whose death during the present week resulted from malpractice. No evidence sustaining the allegation could be obtained, and a verdict of death from metro-peritonitis was rendered.

The regular meeting of the American Geographical Society will be held Tuesday evening at the hall of the New-York Historical Society, corner Second-avenue and Eleventh-street. Prof. HARNY, of Cornell University, will give an account of the Lower Amazonas, illustrated with stereopticon views.

An additional delegation of the Atalanta Base Ball Club left on the *City of Montreal* for England, yesterday, to see the coming struggle of their representatives. The party consists of Wm. H. Wetsmer, Wm. C. Rogers, John O'Brien, George B. Springsteen, John J. Bogert, and Washington Haddock.

Mr. COSTER, Collector of the Eighth District, New-York, has received the annual list of assessments for the year 1872, and special taxes for the ending May 31, 1873, and his office is now open for the payment of taxes from the 20th inst. to the 8th June next, between the hours of 9 A. M. and 2 P. M. daily, Sundays excepted.

ADDISON ROBBINS and HENRY MOLLOY were arraigned at the Court of Special Sessions, yesterday, on a charge of having for sale an obscene paper. MOLLOY was acquitted, and ROBBINS found guilty, but sentence was suspended on the condition that before Thursday next he should inform Detective TULLY where the paper was published.

In the United States Court, yesterday, before Judge SHIPMAN, the case of JOHN J. KNOX & Co., brokers in Fulton-street, against Lewis J. KORK, Ex-Collector of internal revenue, came up for trial. The suit was brought to recover an alleged illegal assessment for sales of bread, but the Court decided that it had no jurisdiction, the suit not having been brought against the defendant as Collector.

The funeral services of the late JOSIAH MACY took place yesterday in the Friends' Meeting-house, Rutherford-place. The family of the deceased were present, and the body of the meeting-house was crowded with relatives and friends. Addresses were made by Mr. BARNES and Mr. THOMAS FOULKE, at the close of which the remains were conveyed to the railroad depot, whence they were taken for interment to the Friends' burying-ground at Woodlawn.

Senator WILSON was in town yesterday, and was waited upon at the Astor House by a number of working men from the new building, who asked a request for an address from him on the subject of the recent labor troubles and the Eight-hour law. The Senator excused himself from speaking, on account of sickness, and simply remarked that he thought the laws in their present form concealed all they needed. He left for Philadelphia on the 5 o'clock train.

The body of EDWARD OBERLANDER was found yesterday in the water at the foot of Oliver-street, East River, and was removed to the station-house. There was a deep cut on the side of the neck, as though inflicted with a knife. On investigation it was ascertained that OBERLANDER had once been a real estate agent at No. 12 Bowery, but for over a year past had been living on friends. His disappearance has not his friends, and, afterward jumped overboard. The Coroner will investigate the matter.

During the two weeks ending yesterday, DAVID MCDONALD, NEIL MCDONALD, JAMES P. WHITFIELD and WM. VANDERWULPEN filed voluntary petitions in bankruptcy; JULIUS DEITSCH filed a voluntary petition for himself, and a petition to have MOSELEY EZEKIEL adjudged as involuntary bankrupt; the Empire Silver-plate and Engraving Company, by THOMAS H. SMITH, their assignee in bankruptcy, and SOLOMON MCCARTHY and EDWARD C. HOSTER received discharges in bankruptcy.

BROOKLYN.

The week's receipts for taxes were $61 43.

The police made 503 arrests during the week.

The Eastern District carpenters have decided on strike for the eight-hour system to-morrow.

The offal dock has been changed from Wallabout Bay to Kingsland's dock, on Newtown Creek, between the second and third drawbridge.

It is believed that there will be at least 25,000 pupils and teachers in the Sunday-school anniversary, on 26th inst. Upward of 23,000 participated last year.

A promenade concert was given last evening for the Twenty-third Regiment Band, at Burnham's Academy, for the benefit of the band leaders. A large and fashionable audience was in attendance.

Rooms have been engaged at the Mansion House for Rev. Dr. R. S. STORRS, jr., who is daily expected to arrive from Europe. A reception will be given on Wednesday evening, in the lecture-room of the Church of the Pilgrims.

WESTCHESTER COUNTY.

The Westchester County Bible Society has presented each of the county officers with a copy of the Bible.

The vestry of St. Peter's Episcopal Church, Port Chester, has tendered the rectorship to Rev. W. G. FARRINGTON, of Orange, N. J.

Mr. WM. CUTTER has been installed as Deputy Postmaster of White Plains, to fill the vacancy occasioned by the retirement of Mr. WM. HARTNETT.

The Excise Board of the town of New-Castle has decided to grant no licenses in the town, and to vigorously prosecute all persons violating the law.

The Railroad